

U. S. Air Raiders Over Continent In Bombings By RAF

Fast Bombers Deal Destruction On The Invasion Front Of Nazis

By J. WES GALLAGHER
LONDON, July 4.—(P)—The United States army air forces set off their first fireworks in western Europe on this Fourth-of-July with bombs and strafing raids on German airdromes, planes, installations and enemy airmen in Holland and on Nazi patrol ships offshore.

The initial raids in a fore-shadowed series of American aerial onslaughts aimed at knocking the German Luftwaffe off the invasion front produced an outstanding hero-pilot who brought home his battered and tattered plane on one engine after it was all but knocked out by anti-aircraft fire.

The plane actually was down once on Nazi-held soil but it rebounded under the pilot's adroit control and made its getaway, silencing an anti-aircraft tower even as it escaped.

The pilot, Captain Charles C. Kegelman of El Reno, Okla., promptly was awarded the distinguished service cross for gallantry in action, the first so honored on this front by Maj.-Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, American commander in the European theater.

The raid was undertaken soon after dawn by twelve Boston Douglas light bombers, six of them manned by all-American crews, the others by seasoned RAF airmen. Because they can develop a top combat speed of 350 miles per hour they swept out on their mission without fighter plane cover.

Three planes missing
Two American-manned planes were missing after the operations but one was officially declared to have been still under control when last sighted over its target. The other was shot down by anti-aircraft fire—the first American army air casualty on the continent. One of the six British planes also failed to return.

It was stressed in the first two American communiques and in the British air ministry communique that the raids were carried out just over the ground—"hedge-hopping." Such expressions as "zero altitude," "very low level" and "minimum altitude" were used.

Bombs were seen bursting on hangars and administration buildings at three airdromes and at least one enemy fighter plane was set afire on the ground. The damage was declared to be "considerable."

At one point 150 German airmen in flying suits were caught flatfooted, lined up as if on payday parade.

"Casualties among personnel were observed at Alkmaar, Valkenburg and Hamsted," the American communique said.

The nature of the raid made it extremely hazardous and accounted for the heavy percentage of planes lost, three out of 12. It was the heaviest percentage lost since the British sent 12 planes over Augsburg at tree-top height in April and got only five back, and it was the longest unescorted raid since Augsburg.

The British-American raiding squadron had to fly 150 miles inland over Holland to reach Valkenburg, one of the areas most

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Flying Tigers Down Planes

CHUNGKING, July 4.—(P)—An important portion of the American volunteer group, the flying Tigers, spent yesterday and today in fierce air battles with the Japanese, downing at least five enemy planes in a parting fling as a separate fighting force, according to incomplete reports. The fighting centered on Hengyang, communications center of Hunan province.

Other flying Tigers were entertained at a party in the Chinese provisional capital. Games included musical chairs in which Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek participated.

The AVG was formally replaced today by the United States army air forces in China.

Details of the new combat were not available but the action was not unexpected, for it had been supposed the Japanese would take an 11th hour crack at the AVG, hoping to catch the Americans off guard during the changeover. Evidently the AVG beat them to the punch.

The flying Tigers now are the 23rd pursuit group of the United States air forces.

Struggle To Keep Liberties On The Fourth

Observance On Land, Sea, Air As Plants Operate

By The Associated Press
America observed Independence Day with its fighting men deployed the world around, struggling as never before to maintain the liberties daringly proclaimed 166 years ago.

There were celebrations wherever the nation's forces happened to be. American fliers chose this significant holiday for their first participation in an attack upon the Hitler-held continent of Europe.

Meanwhile, at home, the day was dedicated, not to the usual fireworks, picnics, and motor tours, but to whirling factory wheels and busy assembly lines lest, said President Roosevelt, a single hour be wasted or a single shot withheld.

"On the desert sands of Africa, along the thousands of miles of battle lines in Russia, in New Zealand and Australia, and the islands of the Pacific, in war-torn China and all over the seven seas, free men are fighting desperately—and dying—to preserve the liberties and decencies of modern civilizations," Mr. Roosevelt said.

"And in the overrun and occupied nations of the world, this day is filled with added significance, coming at a time when freedom and religion have been attacked and trampled upon by tyrannies unequalled in human history."

"Never since it first was created in Philadelphia has this anniversary come in times so dangerous to everything for which it stands."

"We celebrate it this year, not in the fireworks of make believe but in the death-dealing reality of tanks and planes and guns and ships. We celebrate it also by running without interruption the assembly lines which turn out these weapons to be shipped to all the embattled points of the globe."

American pilots and crews borrowed planes—six of them—from the RAF to strike the first American aerial blow at the Nazis in Europe. Two of the planes did not return.

In keeping with the 1942 spirit of the day, President Roosevelt and many another government official or employee was at his desk as usual.

Secretary of State Hull also issued a statement. The spirit of liberty and freedom which inspired the founding and development of the nation "is the spirit that will win the war," he said.

America did not celebrate alone. The people of its allies helped. Australians pitched in with the American soldiers stationed there, and joined in their sporting events, dances, contests and oratory.

Latin American nations participated, too. A holiday was decreed in Ecuador. Havana had a parade, and the Mexican congress held a special meeting.

Pledge Guns and Tanks
DETROIT, July 4.—(P)—Lieut. Gen. Brehon B. Somervell, commanding the War Department's services of supply, received pledges of an unstinting flow of guns, tanks, planes and the other tools of war from the top men in the AFL and CIO today in a fourth of July labor rally.

The General himself, principal speaker on a luncheon program which also included addresses by Philip Murray and William Green, presidents of the CIO and the AFL, respectively, warned that liberty was a luxury which "must be paid for again and again, endlessly in blood and toil and devotion."

He urged labor to bury its differences.

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Fourth Here Is Very Quiet

With the idea in mind of conserving powder and explosives for use on the Japs and other axis enemy powers Sedalia dealers stocked lightly on firecrackers, and other pyrotechnics, so much in fact that all had been purchased before the Fourth arrived.

They did not wish to deprive "Young America" of showing their patriotic spirit in shooting the noise-makers and while no rationing was in effect the use of them was perceptibly curtailed. Many Sedalians made trips to the Lake of the Ozarks for the week end while others went on trips to different cities and towns to visit relatives.

A. B. Cole Dies At California

Prominent In Produce Circles For Many Years

A. B. Cole, aged 77 years, for many years owner of the A. B. Cole and Son Produce Company of California, Missouri, and former mayor there died Saturday morning at 2:45 o'clock at his home. Death was due to a heart ailment.

Mr. Cole was born and reared at Gallatin, Missouri. He moved to California in 1892 and was manager for the New York Poultry and Egg Company for twelve years. In 1904 he moved to Sedalia and managed the New York Poultry and Egg Company plant here for one year, at which time the late S. E. Murray was head of the company.

He returned to California in 1905 and purchased the New York plant there and changed the name to A. B. Cole and Son Produce Company. Following this purchase he established branch houses in eighteen central Missouri towns and was said by business interests and friends to have been the No. 1 citizen of Moniteau county. He employed more than 150 men in the conduct of his business.

In the many years he was in business he was very prominent not only in his home community but widely among poultry, egg and cream industry.

Sold To Swift And Company
Mr. Cole retired from the produce business in 1928 when he sold his business to Swift and Company.

The funeral will be Monday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the Cole residence in California. Mr. Cole is survived by his wife, Mrs. A. B. Cole, and the following children: E. R. Cole of California, Mrs. M. C. Archibald, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. William F. Sylvester, of Jackson, Mississippi, Mrs. Grant West, of Olatha, Kansas and Miss Brooks Ann Cole, of the home. One son A. B. Cole, Jr., who was associated with his father in business, died in 1939. Nine grandchildren also survive.

Son Is Born To Duchess Of Kent

LONDON, July 4.—(P)—A son was born to the Duchess of Kent this evening at Coppings, country home of the Duke of Kent, youngest of King George VI. The infant became seventh in the line of direct succession to the throne. The duchess of Kent formerly was Princess Marina of Greece. Their new son is their third child.

Execution For Eighty-Six More Of Czechs

LONDON, July 4.—(P)—Eighty-six more Czechs, including three Jews, were executed yesterday on orders of a Prague court martial, according to a Budapest dispatch broadcast today by the Vichy radio and recorded here by Reuters.

Two More Ships Are Torpedoed

WASHINGTON, July 4.—(P)—The navy announced tonight the torpedoing and sinking of a medium-sized United States merchantman and a small Panamanian vessel.

The United States ship was sunk off the northern coast of South America and survivors landed at an east coast port.

The Panamanian vessel was torpedoed in the Gulf of Mexico and survivors were landed at a gulf port.

Legion To Meet Monday
Members of the American Legion will meet at 8 o'clock Monday night, in the Legion hall, Second street and Lamine avenue.

Address And Entertainment

Rev. Arnold Talks At Booster Patry About "Our Town"

One of the most interesting and entertaining programs of the summer programs sponsored by the Sedalia Booster Club was held Friday evening in the band stand at Liberty Park before one of the largest crowds to attend these meetings.

F. G. Rose, Chief Booster, introduced G. T. Callender, superintendent of shops, who in presenting the principal speaker of the evening, expressed his appreciation to those present and stated that "We of the Missouri Pacific were 100 per cent in this all-out war effort and have pledged ourselves to do everything we can to get this job done. We are going all the way firmly believing in doing a job right, knowing we can do it and above all we are doing it." Mr. Callender stated he was extending his right hand to all Missouri Pacific employees for what they are doing. He mentioned the "Good Neighbor" campaign where the shopmen are going out after work each evening helping the farmers harvest their grain.

"If you want a job done call upon our Missouri Pacific men and they will get the job done in great style. Since last Sunday when a list of employees names, addresses and telephone numbers were published in the local paper, approximately 300 employees had volunteered their services to the farmers after work hours."

Interested In Scrap
Mr. Callender said that the Missouri Pacific is interested very

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Attribute Crash To Plane Pilot

WASHINGTON, July 4.—(P)—The house committee on investigation of air accidents declared today the crash of a Transcontinental and Western passenger plane near Las Vegas, Nev., Jan. 16, in which Carole Lombard and 16 others were killed, was due to the negligence of Capt. Wayne Williams, the pilot.

In a report prepared for submission to congress, the committee said investigations showed that Williams failed to follow the established course between Las Vegas and Los Angeles, the destination of the night flight, and that he flew the plane at such a low altitude that it collided with Potosi peak of the Spring mountain range near Las Vegas.

The committee said Williams was fired by TWA in 1933 for alleged carelessness and disregard for regulations but appealed to the National Labor Relations Board and was ordered reinstated. Subsequently, it said, Williams "settled down and established a sound reputation as an air line pilot."

The committee said it found nothing to substantiate rumors and reports that the crash was caused by engine trouble, sabotage, "and even a fight in the cockpit of the plane."

Flying Cadet Is Killed In Crash

OLATHE, Kas., July 4.—(P)—Alvin Gloer, 23-year-old Naval Flying cadet from Parsons, Kas., was killed today when his training plane crashed from a height of 2,000 feet on an isolated sector of a farm four miles north of here.

Robert McBride, 19, who lives a mile and a half from the scene of the crash said Gloer apparently was practicing dives.

"He had dived several times," McBride said, "and the last time it sounded as though his motor died when he tried to level off. The ship continued down, but it was apparent from its maneuvers that the pilot was doing everything he could to right it."

Gloer, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Gloer, entered training at the Fairfax Naval Air training Base in Kansas City, aKs., April 23.

Reds Fiercely Engage Nazis In Ukraine

Forced To New Positions In A Kursk Sector

By HENRY C. CASSIDY
MOSCOW, Sunday, July 5.—(P)

Stubbornly fighting Russian soldiers have been forced back to new positions on one sector of the Kursk front, the Russians announced today, but their Red army comrades are fiercely engaging Axis tanks and infantry on other areas of that Ukrainian battlefield.

The midnight Russian communique did not disclose just where the Russians fell back in fighting which has developed into some of the heaviest of the war.

In its brief report on the Kursk fighting yesterday the Soviet bureau of information reported that Soviet soldiers "carried out a fierce battle against tanks and enemy infantry" during the day as the Germans sought to advance eastward.

"On one sector of this direction (Kursk) our men retreated and occupied new positions," the communique continued.

Stubborn battles still were being waged against the invaders on the Belgorod and Volchansk fronts, north of Kharkov.

The Russians disclosed that the Germans were putting on the pressure on the Kalinin front, northwest of Moscow. The midnight communique said fighting still continued in that sector after two different offensives against two different points on the Kalinin front were thrown back with the loss of at least 2,000 enemy men and officers and 27 tanks.

Attacks Repulsed
The first attacks were launched Friday by enemy infantry supported by about 50 to 70 tanks and aircraft. These were reported thrown back and the Germans tried again yesterday but, the Russians said, to no avail.

"All attacks were repulsed; battles continue," the communique asserted.

The Red army earlier had hit back at the Germans and their Axis allies in the Ukraine with a sharp counter-attack in the Kursk sector, forcing the Nazis to retreat across an important stream after absorbing the full fury of a German offensive along the flaming 100-mile front.

Front line dispatches said the resilient Soviet defense wrecked dozens of German tanks and slaughtered thousands of Hitler's troops near the junction of the central and southern fronts before starting their own attack. A tremendous number of enemy guns and other material were declared destroyed as the Germans and their Hungarian mercenaries were rocked on their heels.

The Germans were said to be losing at least the equipment of one armored division daily in the tremendous defense of attrition—a total of 300 tanks, about evenly divided among the three main sectors of the Ukraine front. Much of the spectacular fighting was tank against tank.

"Fierce battles continue," the high command said of the six-day Kursk offensive in which the Russians "killed several thousand enemy officers and men, consisting mainly of the second Hungarian corps."

With the fall of Sevastopol, whose defenders were said to have exacted 300,000 casualties in 250 days of heroic defense, the Russians were declared strengthening the defenses of the oil rich Caucasus for an expected German attempt to cross the narrow Kerch strait and its adjacent marshes. The fall of the Crimean base pulled a painful thorn from the German flank. Russian guns were re-

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Heaviest Aerial Attack Ever In The Middle East Theatre

Acquit Farmer On Slaying Charge

MEXICO, Mo., July 4.—(P)—An Audrain county circuit court jury Friday night acquitted Stanford Brewer, 34, Boone county farmer, who was charged with murder in the slaying of Walter Hennings, of Harrisburg, Mo., last Christmas Eve.

The defense counsel pleaded self defense. The jury deliberated three hours.

Jap Ships Are Damaged In The Aleutians

U. S. Bombers Are "Carrying The Fight To Enemy"

WASHINGTON, July 4.—(P)—A flying general reported today on his return from the North Pacific that Army and Navy air forces had "severely damaged" Japanese ships, air and shore installations in the invaded Aleutians.

Brigadier General Laurence S. Kuter, Deputy Chief of the Army Air Staff, said the bombers in the Aleutian war zone were "carrying the fight to the enemy" and were well equipped but were handicapped by the fog and rain.

The War Department made public his statements a few hours after the Navy reported American fliers again had been striking at Japanese forces in the Aleutians, including an air attack on three transports and their convoys.

The Navy communique commented, however, that the situation in the chain of islands stretching out from Alaska toward Japan "has not changed materially" in the last two weeks.

This was the first Navy communique concerning the Aleutians since that of June 21 when it was reported the Japanese had set up "minor temporary structures" as Kiska. That communique also reported that Army bombers had scored hits on an enemy cruiser and sunk a transport.

Kuter brought the first official, personal report of conditions in the remote Pacific area which the Japanese invaded at the time their naval and air onslaught on Midway Island, west of Hawaii, was beaten back a month ago.

Airmen On Alert
"American airmen are devising special means to put the Japs within range of fighter planes operating from the Aleutian bases," he said. "Distances are great, and bad weather increases gasoline consumption. Nevertheless, whenever the weather even approaches 'flyability,' our bombers take off to fight the enemy with bullets and bombs."

Regardless of weather, he said, Army and Navy air forces operating under unified command were keeping the Japs on Kiska Island under observation and patrolling adjacent seas.

Kiska is 583 miles west of the United States Navy base at Dutch Harbor.

Despite the latest reports from the Army and Navy there were renewed expressions of concern about the Aleutian situation.

Delegate Anthony J. Dimond of Alaska said the reports "shows they're working at the situation," but he added that he was "scared pink for fear we're going to dawdle until the Japs take over 'the whole Aleutian chain.'"

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Some Of High Comendation Given To Work Of The USO

Brigadier General F. H. Osborn, chief, special services branch in charge of morale: "USO has risen magnificently to meet both the pre-war and war emergencies of our armed forces. It has given living evidence to the American soldier and sailor that his own people at home are thinking of him and care about him now. The volume of USO's service must increase as hundreds of thousands more men put on the uniform; as soldiers and sailors everywhere speed to the outposts of a nation at war."

Rear Admiral E. J. Marquart: "We must meet the problem of large crews of men avidly looking forward to shore leave. For these men, the USO and its co-operating agencies already have provided a wide variety of entertainment. Not only is the man on the firing line appreciative, but also the family he left behind. These families are suffering not only the trial of separation from husbands and fathers, but in many

cases face more material hardships. It is a comfort to them to know that their men in service are being cared for so well."

A navy wife, New London, Conn.: "When our husbands go to sea, we navy wives need the company of others in the same predicament, and a mutual feeling of understanding. In the USO we have a club where we can mingle and make friends in a congenial atmosphere, and where newcomers feel more than welcome. It gives all of us a nice feeling to see the enthusiasm with which this USO activity is being greeted."

"A private, 18th coast artillery, Fort Funston, to a director of Camp Shaws, Inc.: 'I sure did enjoy your program the other morning, and enjoyed the cigarettes and cakes you gave us. Please come more often if you can, and don't let us down please.'"

A chaplain, 79th field artillery, Fort Bragg, N. C.: "As a chaplain

Rocks Armies Of Axis In Egypt In Support Given To Land Forces

CAIRO, July 4.—(P)—General Sir Claude J. E. Auchinleck, waging a supreme fight for Egypt and the middle east, threw fresh troops into a battering assault to-night on weary axis forces which were being pounded on their small strip of desert positions by the heaviest aerial attack ever seen in the middle east.

The first results of the new attack, launched from positions west of El Alamein, northern anchor of the British defenses of vital Egypt, was the capture of 600 German infantrymen. They were so exhausted after five weeks of continuous fighting that they were unable to resist.

Battlefront reports said it was General Auchinleck's knowledge of the physical state of the axis forces, now down to a pint of water a day in the torrid desert, which led him to push his offensive to prevent Field Marshal Erwin Rommel from resting his men or rushing fresh troops into the battle.

The British, on the other hand, were using newly arrived New Zealand forces as well as British armored units and South Africans who have been through the whole campaign.

Reports from Alexandria said all kinds of reinforcements, with American tanks, guns and other war equipment, were moving along the desert highway to the allies front, 65 miles west of the great naval base.

Both in Cairo and Alexandria the people were reported optimistic over the prospects and fully confident that the tide of battle was turning in favor of the allies. The population was calm and all activities were going on normally.

CAIRO, July 4.—(P)—Six hundred of Marshal Erwin Rommel's Nazis were captured by the British today as the biggest aerial attack ever seen in the middle east rocked the axis armies 65 miles west of Alexandria and checked the Nazi drive across the desert toward Alexandria and Suez.

The continuing assault from the air, as well as allied artillery, was having a telling effect on the Axis forces. At least 40 of Rommel's big guns were in British hands and a number of his tanks knocked out as the reinforced British eighth army smashed at the foe in the El Alamein area, a British communique said.

Describing the allied attacks in cooperation with land forces as "unprecedented," the British communique listed 28 axis planes as destroyed in the air and on the ground in yesterday's all day conflict.

Sixteen of these were German dive-bombers, 13 of which were shot down in a few minutes in a single spectacular battle over El Alamein with a squadron of south African fighters new to the desert.

The south Africans, called to the attack almost as soon as they arrived at a desert airdrome, reached the scene just as the first Stuka was peeling off to dive against British troops.

Slashing through the Nazi fighter escort, the south African Hurricanes shot down the 13 dive-bombers while explosives still were in the racks. The awesome roars of the crashes drowned out the cheers of the earth-bound British soldiery.

Strength Into Battle

Evidently the RAF and United States airmen in the desert put their full strength into the battle. Axis landing grounds, camps and roads were attacked. Twelve allied planes were lost. (The Germans claimed 28.)

While it was emphasized here that the British counter-attack did not indicate that the Germans and Italians were permanently halted, a British commentator declared that the axis thrusts had diminished steadily in numerical

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J. V. Humphrey Suffers Cut On His Right Hand

J. V. Humphrey, of North Hurley avenue, suffered a severe, cut on his right hand Saturday, when his hand came in contact with a piece of a broken windshield. He was taken to the Bothwell hospital and seven stitches were taken to close the wound, then he was taken to his home. Mr. Humphrey is a Missouri Pacific shopman.

The Weather
Scattered thundershowers north east. Not much change in temperature Sunday.

British Driver Escapes From Bombed Vehicle



Comrades treat a British ambulance driver who escaped alive from his blazing vehicle, smoking in background, after Nazi attack on a British desert convoy during Rommel's advance through Libya. (NEA Telephoto)

Cross Roads Comment

by G.H.S.

Who Started The Noisy Fourth?

The terrible toll of death and injuries from shooting off firecrackers and explosive devices (mostly made in Japan) in years past, finally developed into such a national aversion that there is less and less of this form of July 4th celebration.

One wonders whatever gave this "noisy Fourth" craze its initial impetus. It might have come, innocently enough, from John Adams, who later became second president. In a letter to Mrs. Adams, he wrote:

"The second day of July, 1776, will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated as the day of deliverance, by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forevermore."

July 2nd to July 4th—

In modern day parlance, Adams didn't quite "call his shot" on wishful thinking that July 2nd ought to be commemorated. He was right in referring to that date as a "memorable epoch" because it was then that congress adopted the "resolution of independence." It adopted Jefferson's "declaration" on the 4th, which has always been the day celebrated. The decisive act of the 2nd was quite forgotten in the memory of the day on which that act was published to the world.

The Wandering Parchment Anchored—

Once on a visit to Washington I saw the treasured parchment bearing the Declaration in the Library of Congress. It has had an interesting history. For 101 years after the Declaration was proclaimed, it had no permanent home. Ten cities and five states harbored the document. It escaped two fires. Once during the Revolutionary war and once during the War of 1812 it was nearly captured by the British. The light of 50 years exposure gradually dimmed the text of the manuscript, and too frequent rolling had damaged its signatures. Then it was, in 1894, that the document was placed in a safe in the state department library. In 1921 it was removed to the Library of Congress for preservation, safe keeping and exhibition.

Negro Hospital Needs Appropriate Name

For a long time I have puzzled over whose was the original inspiration to name Sedalia's Negro hospital, "Hospital No. 2."

True the old hospital had little claim to name dignity and none of the Negro race, dead or alive, would have cared much to have it named for them.

But now that the new hospital in Hubbard Park has been erected, it is too attractive an edifice to be required to have the second hand and limp-like handle "No. 2." It reminds me of the simple one and two finger technique of school days.

Surely Sedalia has more originality than this. Like many others, I have been dilatory in bringing up this matter. But prompted by a sound citizen of the white race, I have broken through my lethargy at last. Now it is up to others to put the proper wheels in motion to provide a suitable name for the hospital.

Twilight Sleep For the CCC—

For the duration the CCC is almost a dead horse, thanks to a healthy majority of level-headed members of the house, and no thanks to the senate, where Vice President Wallace broke a tie vote favoring a huge appropriation for CCC activities. House members, standing pat, killed the bill.

Administrationites persisted rather stubbornly for the measure and left the public to question their sincerity by so doing in the face of a house appropriations committee warning that the nation faces "a critical shortage of manpower in industry, agriculture and the government service which will reach a peak in approximately October of this year."

Civilian Conservation Corps has done some mighty good work in the past. But like WPA and NYA and a few other A's they should be trimmed down to economical size for the war period. Manpower is needed in more vital fields, despite the prospective tragedy of losing control of tremendous vote getting organizations.

We've Got To Shut Off Steam—

To refrain from fighting the Battle of Egypt on Ohio street is a temptation for Sedalians. In all seriousness groups of business men can be found daily making their own critical comments and offering their own ideas about effective strategy to the British generals.

We are told that such conversations, which indulge criticism of our Allies, is playing into Hitler's hands. In a sense this may be so, if allowed to go beyond reasonable comments.

But most of the conversation I have heard has been reasonable and sincere with no indication that the spokesmen are ready or willing to line up with the Axis.

Americans just can't go around tight lipped without shooting off steam, any more than the British. Such talk is a safety valve for pent up emotions and jangling nerves.

The ultimate effect of these grass roots conversations on Ohio street corners seems to be development of a firmer determination of the civilians to win this war the American way by getting downright tough. More and more folks are waking up to the seriousness of our position. Silent meditation won't make us hot enough to grab a pitchfork like the Minute Men. But vocal mass anger, under superb leadership, will. The time of playing good sports by ward-

ing off blows is past. We've got to get in there and knock their dirty blocks off.

Another Strike Cycle Looms—

While thousands are dying on battlefields, in the air and on the sea, this nation seems to be entering another cycle of strikes in defense industries. Some of them may be necessary, but most of them are not. Even union leadership opposes this ham-stringing of war production. Certainly the public anger is slowly rising again in opposition to strikes and strikers who refuse to obey their own leaders. Public indignation cooled off this spring when strikes seemed to be getting out of hand. The next time the public is similarly aroused Congress may be compelled to use a chastising switch.

The Tale Of A Dog—

"If you pick up a starving dog and make him prosperous, he will not bite you. That is the principal difference between a dog and a man."

A former Kansas City boy, who now lives on the banks of Big Gravois creek, probably never read the above aphorism of Mark Twain in Pudd'nhead Wilson's Calendar. He rescued a starving dog from the brutality of a group of city children.

Some bad intentioned youngsters with sticks were beating a half-starved dog. They had a rope and were preparing to hang the innocent canine when young "Bill" Sanders came upon them, and amidst protests, took the animal away. Later, parents of the boys made effort to recover the animal, but Bill stubbornly refused to return him.

So Bill named his new dog "Bill" after himself and took him along to their new home on the creek bank. The two are inseparable pals.

One might deduce that "Bill" would retain a life-long resentment toward children and become suspicious of their boisterousness after his first painful experience with them. Despite his known instinctive aversion toward strangers, "Bill's" mysterious dog-sense must have told him a group of light-hearted youngsters, although irritatingly noisy, who took possession of a cottage across the road, were destined to become true-blue friends.

While cottage children are "at home" over the weekends, "Bill" seeks their companionship when he tires of chasing rabbits. After the shades of night have fallen and the weary youngsters have tucked themselves into their cots, "Bill" steals across the road from his own home to the cottage and silently mounts the outside stairway to the second floor bedrooms. On the elevated platform before the door, "Bill" curls up and begins his nightly snooze in collaboration with the youngsters, but always he is sensitive and on guard against trespassing prowlers. This service is purely voluntary and in some measure must be the dog's appreciation for discovering that all children are not brutal like those he encountered in Kansas City.

While I watch these two "Bills," boy and dog, plodding up the road to a distant favorite fishing hole, I am reminded of a portion of Senator George Graham Vest's "Eulogy on the Dog" before a court jury—

"Gentlemen of the jury: The one, absolute, unselfish friend that man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog."

Traitors And Spies Face Death—

Reassuring is the word that members of spy rings rounded up by the FBI and army and navy intelligence operatives, are to be given a military court trial; that trial records, judgment and sentences must be submitted to President Roosevelt.

Americans do not want any convictions on the basis of mob psychology or seeking of scapegoats. Hysterical blood lust for victims who have dared trespass against our national safety in war time will not be a part of our military trial procedure.

Nevertheless, it is to be hoped that we will not be afflicted with a nation-wide wave of sympathy if the judgment against the offenders is to face a firing squad. This is war and we cannot afford to be chicken-hearted. Citizen traitors and Axis spies alike must be required to face extreme penalty if evidence warrants it.

So They Say

They are trying to make our flesh creep with this talk.—Captain Naumann, German Navy.

If transportation bogs down, the war effort will bog down with it.—Defense Transportation Director Joseph E. Eastman.

I figured it was my duty.—Jay T. Ansberry, Cleveland father of 11, enlisting in army.

It is in our power one day to transform our wartime effort into wider peacetime markets, toward full employment, toward maximum production.—President Seymour of Yale university.

Winnie Churchill will probably chuckle as he serves heaping dishes of "royal raspberries" to his critics, if the English turn the trick in the Battle of Egypt. The lemon suckers will probably relish a luscious dish even if it is flavored tartly with a few Bronx cheers.

Enough air is contained in the earth's atmosphere to allow each person about 3,000,000 tons. I'll bet Leon Henderson has a good mind to ration Congress' allotment after an all-day session before a Senate Appropriations subcommittee inquisition.

Opening of the Hawaiian legislature has music and hula dancing as a feature. Perhaps if State Senator Allen McReynolds could promote this type of entertainment for Missouri's legislature, he could more quickly discourage the proposal for a Unicameral or one-house legislature.

In Turkey, the masculine fez has almost disappeared. In America, with razor blade priorities, masculine fuzz is becoming more plentiful.

Aztec calendars were made of stone, and sometimes weighed 20 tons. Smart fellows, those Aztecs! There's was perhaps the original idea to discourage so many calendars on office walls.

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A YOUNG Sedalia	EMPTY BOTTLES
MARRIED WOMAN	AS SHE Entered
WHOSE HUSBAND	THE HOUSE
IS AWAY From Home	IT MADE A Lot
IS WORRIED	OF NOISE
SHE WENT To A	AND MIGHT Have Sounded
PARTY WITH A	LIKE A Wild Party
NUMBER Of Girl Friends	WHICH IT Certainly
THE OTHER Evening	WAS NOT
TAKING AS Her Share	AND SHE'S Worried
OF THE Refreshments	FEARING THE Neighbors
SEVERAL BOTTLES	MAY THINK She's
OF A Soft Drink	GOING ON Parties
SHE CAME Home Rather	WHILE HER Husband
LATE	IS AWAY
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H. A. GRAY, ACTING DIRECTOR, SOLID FUELS COORDINATION—"Wise coal consumers will take immediate steps to protect their supply by building up their storage piles and keeping them built up."

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Special Investigator

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ESCAPE

CHAPTER IX

FOR the next few minutes they alternated their conversations between whispers and loud talk.

"If I only had a gun," he whispered despairingly, "I might do something."

Her eyes lighted with a smile. Without making a comment she put her hand into her purse and drew out the small automatic. He was astonished, but his fingers closed over it and her hand too. Forgetting to be watchful he exclaimed:

"Did I ever tell you, Judith Kingsly, that you are the most wonderful creature on earth and the loveliest?"

He snatched a kiss from the upturned face. She drew back quickly, her heart racing and her eyes soft. "Tom," she murmured.

A door suddenly opened and Karl came in, followed by some men.

"Ready to talk, Burke?" demanded Karl.

Judith realized the men had been waiting for some sign that she was not a stranger to Tom, and now his words had given them their cue. They knew now he would be willing to sell the plane's secrets to save her. In the end they probably would kill them both. She stared in mounting terror at them.

"Are you ready to talk, Mr. Burke?" Karl repeated. His voice was a bit high as if he were exasperated at having to ask his question again.

Burke's lean, suntanned face gave no hint of his thoughts, but Judith detected the stubborn set of his jaws.

"I have nothing to say now, or at any other time."

"No? Perhaps in a little while, my friend, you will be glad to tell all I want to know." There was a savageness in Karl's eyes and his hands drew into tight fists at his side. "We have ways of making men talk."

Karl glanced at his watch. Heavy, his eyes narrowed and watchful, focused a gun on Judith and Tom.

A swift urge came over Judith to throw off her fear and break the awful silence in the room. Once again, her fighting spirit soared to her rescue.

"I haven't had anything to eat, yet," she said suddenly. The men were startled by the calmness of her tone. "You did promise me food." She tried her winsome smile, but it had no effect on Karl. Heavy's mouth twisted at the corner with the beginning of a grin, but only for a moment. Then his face became the hard mask of a moment before.

A man standing back of Judith spoke: "The dame is made of ice."

She turned slowly and saw the man who had kidnapped her in the taxi.

Karl said curtly: "Bring in the tray of food," and the man back of her moved away to carry out the order.

NOT once did Heavy relax his vigil with the gun. Burke kept his gaze fastened on Karl though Judith knew he was watching the other man from the corner of his keen eyes. Tom had her gun and she knew he was waiting an opportunity to use it. It would be suicide to try anything now. Her thoughts made her shiver. The blond spy with his close-cropped hair gave her a curious glance.

"Cold?"

Judith looked at him but did not offer to answer his question. Instead, she turned her blue eyes on Tom. He moved his steady gaze to her face for an instant. Tom still loved her, she realized, though no word passed between them.

"Your nose is tiny," Tom said critically.

Judith's mouth fell open and for a minute she had the mad desire to slap him. Burning with anger, she turned her back on him and opened her purse, drawing out a vanity case. She applied the puff to her nose with more vigor than was necessary.

"Better?" she asked acidly while the captors looked on slightly puzzled at the act going on before them.

He shrugged. "A little."

When the food was before her, the men stood guard like so many buzzards. Judith grew more self-conscious with every bite she took. But she was hungry, even if this might be her last meal on earth. The thought occurred that the food might be poisoned, but she cast it aside. It was not their time to die yet.

Just as she finished her meal another man came in the room and whispered to Karl, excitedly. They spoke in a foreign language, but Judith guessed from their manner that the matter was serious.

Sharp commands were given at once, and she and Tom were pushed roughly through a door and down a dark hall. Muffled sounds and shouts came from behind them, but they moved on until all was silent around them. Before a closed door, a blindfold was tied over their eyes. Then they were ushered out and into a car.

JUDITH sat between Tom and Karl as they sped away through the night. Two other men sat on the little seats in front of them and Judith could guess they held guns on them. Tom's hand found hers and the pressure of his warm fingers was reassuring. Her own fingers clung tightly to his. Danger had brought her close to Tom again. He bent his head to touch hers.

"You're a swell girl, Judith," he whispered and his lips brushed her red hair.

Judith opened her mouth to speak but closed it again.

"If you persist in talking, you will be gagged," Tom threatened.

At the threat, Tom's body had grown rigid and the grip of his fingers had almost paralyzed her hand. She waited for him to relax and then she turned to face her enemy.

"Couldn't you take this thing off my eyes?" she asked softly.

Without answering, he reached up and pulled the fold from around her head. She rubbed her eyes and then took in the gunmen watching her closely, guns in sight. She drew a deep breath.

"You can take his off, too," Karl told her, and she removed Burke's bandage.

After that, there was silence except for the purring of the engine as they slipped through the night. Judith wondered where her detective body-guards could be, but surmised they were responsible for their sudden exit from the house. She dared not try to look out the back of the car, and all the other windows were shaded.

Tom's fingers moved along her wrist, back and forth, searching for something. She realized in a moment what it was. Her watch. She wanted to tell him what she had done with it, but couldn't. She lay her other hand over his.

Finally, the car turned toward the shore where Judith could hear the roar of the breakers, and stopped at a deserted dock. The men got out and motioned Judith and Tom from the car. Karl and one of the guards walked in front and Heavy came behind them.

Again Tom's hand found hers and their fingers twined tightly as they walked down the boards over the water. She wanted desperately to whisper that she loved him and that all the things she had said when they parted were lies. But then . . . The pressure on her hand gripped harder.

Suddenly Tom plunged into the water, dragging her with him. They went under with a mighty splash and the cold Pacific was breath-taking, but only for a second. She was an excellent swimmer and with Tom's hand to guide her, they dived for the protection of the wharf.

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Struggle To Keep Liberties On The Fourth

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ferences with management and to remember that "we all belong to the same union—the union of the United States of America."

Quarter Million See Parade

ST. LOUIS, July 4.—(P)—An appreciative crowd of 250,000 persons celebrated Fourth of July in St. Louis today by witnessing a parade of 6000 troops of a new war of independence, led by 15 British and American war heroes.

Apparently oblivious to summer heat, the onlookers jammed the parade route six, eight and ten deep. They alternately cheered and stood in respectful silence as the impressive picture of America's war might unfolded in quick panorama.

Among the onlookers were hundreds of soldiers and sailors on holiday leave, who grinned as they cheered their marching comrades.

Participating in this city's first wartime Fourth of July parade since 1918 were 5000 troops from Fort Leonard Wood, detachments from Jefferson Barracks, Marine corps and Naval units. Five bands were spaced among the parading units.

The soldiers paraded fully equipped, bayonets flashed forebodingly in the sun. Between infantry battalions were some of Uncle Sam's newest anti-tank and anti-aircraft guns, Jeeps, reconnaissance cars, field artillery and other display of military might.

The war heroes, concluding a 30-day tour here, joined Army officers and city officials on the reviewing stand. Brushing aside their own exploits in the world conflict, they told the listeners:

"You buy war bonds so that we may be well-equipped, we'll do the dirty work."

Red Cross Has Anniversary

The Sedalia Red Cross office is making the second anniversary of the Surgical Dressing rooms July 5. Many thousand pieces have been folded, bundled, and shipped from this office in the past two years, and a shipment of 51,000 pieces will be sent out this week. A quota of 26,000 pieces is nearing completion, and two more large quotas have been accepted for completion by August 31.

Miss Agnes Quinn and Mrs. J. A. Lamy have been chairman and co-chairman of this project since the beginning of the work. The year ending March 31, 1942, lists 287 women volunteers who have given 4,965 hours of their time to this important work for the armed forces of the United States and their allies.

The chapter is asking continued cooperation from this splendid group of volunteers. The work rooms will continue the present schedule: Tuesday morning: Supervisors: Mrs. Frank Keyser, Mrs. John Lamy. Tuesday afternoon: Supervisors: Mrs. Emmet Sullivan, Mrs. H. E. Bradley. Tuesday evening: Supervisors: Mrs. K. C. Carstens, Miss Anna Marie Morseman.

Wednesday morning: Supervisors: Mrs. Phil Burford, Mrs. Dell Imbarger, Mrs. Abe Silverman. Thursday afternoon: Mrs. M. C. Abeles, Mrs. J. C. Griffin. Friday afternoon: Mrs. Ray Jiedel, Mrs. E. P. Gerard. Friday afternoon: Miss Grace Carter, Miss Eva Evans.

More volunteers are acceptable at this time to assist in the making of the enlarged quotas.

Phone the Red Cross office 110.

Wed By Rev. Mabry

Laura M. Todd and Jeff Prime were married Friday afternoon by Rev. Sidney Mabry, at his home, 213 East Second street.

U. S. Air Raiders Over Continent In Bombing By RAF

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heavily attended by the German air force.

Fighter escorts are impracticable if not impossible at such distances, hence the use of fast bombers which can do their own fighting.

The attackers were over German controlled territory more than an hour in their sustained challenge to the Luftwaffe on its home grounds.

Blow For Victory

This first Anglo-American aerial blow for victory over the Germans close to home directed its attacks against the hangars and buildings at Homstede, on the island of Schouwen; Almar, 40 miles northwest of Amsterdam, and Valkenburg, 15 miles east of Maestricht.

Winging homeward, the raiders attacked German patrol ships off the coast.

Officially the Americans operated under direct command of the U. S. army air forces in cooperation with the RAF. Under the eventual plans when complete units will be set up, the American bomber command in the British Isles will carry out separate raids escorted by its own fighters.

It is expected for the future that American bombers will operate on an increasing scale in daylight raids, and increasing American participation will allow the RAF to concentrate more on the mighty raids of the Cologne type, day and night when conditions permit.

Observers expressed the opinion that the fact the first blow was aimed at the German air force was significant because before the day Americans land in France, as predicted by General George H. Marshall, American chief of staff, the Luftwaffe must be driven from the invasion coast.

The payday queue at Hanstede scattered in all directions under heavy machine-gun fire from the speedy Bostons.

Some Of High Commendation Given To Work Of The USO

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USO will bring more and more of its good work to the men in the service."

The mother of a cadet at the naval air station Lakehurst, N. J.: "To all the people in the USO, thanks you for being so good to my son. He writes to me about all of you people, telling me how good you are to him. I miss him terribly. But I'm proud of him for the nice letters he writes telling how much he likes the marines, and I want to encourage him all I can right now for we'll need plenty of men."

A lieutenant-colonel, 163rd infantry, Fort Lewis, Wash.: "This is a splendid thing and badly needed. I have about 700 splendid American boys in my battalion, and they can't be expected to stay in camp all the time. Usually, the only people who take interest in these boys stand to profit by their interest. Keep up the good work."

In Naval Reserve

GREAT LAKES, Ill., July 4.—Thomas W. Ward, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Ward, 620 North Engineer, Sedalia Mo., has enlisted in the U. S. naval reserve, and is now undergoing a period of recruit training here at the U. S. naval training station. He received the rating of ship fitter, third class.

Guarded

When bathing in London's famous lake, the Serpentine, is at its height, samples of the water are analyzed twice daily to test its purity.

Reds Fiercely Engage Nazis In Ukraine

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in the service of the army, I wish to express appreciation, for the men as well as for myself, of the fine efforts that are being made by the USO to make affairs more tolerable for the men—especially on maneuvers. We feel assured that as time goes on, the ported installed on the small island of Kossa Tusia in the Kerch strait.

The Germans thrust mightily in the undulating Ukraine plateau sector with teams of tanks, planes, artillery and infantry in violent assaults which cost them ghastly casualties, the military press said.

Heaviest Aerial Attack Ever In The Middle East

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strength during the past three days.

(This was tacitly acknowledged by the German high command, which said "counter-attacks undertaken by the enemy with reinforcements were beaten off in hard fighting.") The Germans admitted El Alamein remained in British hands.)

An observer thus described the turn of the tide Thursday afternoon:

Axis infantry supported by artillery and with tanks massed behind them, slipped forward to attack British guns which had been holding up the advance. Just as the axis armor was about to enter the battle, the British counter-attacks on the German flank, diverted the tanks from support of the infantry, and caused the entire attack to fail.

Reports that Rommel was attempting to dig into positions along the northern end of the El Alamein line came from the desert last night. These were followed by the communique announcing capture of 40 axis cannon.

While there was no disposition here to minimize the continuing threat to Egypt, it was felt that the heavily-reinforced British army had recovered from the defeats it suffered across 350 miles of desert and was doing battle with full confidence in its weapons and leadership.

The Egyptian government announced that axis planes raided the Suez Canal area Friday night, but caused only three casualties. Alarms sounded also in Cairo and elsewhere, and Premier Mustapha Hahas Pasha announced that a complete blackout would be introduced for Cairo.

Changed Things

Prior to 1750, England banned bathing in sea or river. Richard Russell, popular physician of the court of King George III, published a treatise on the use of salt water as a restorative of health in that year, and succeeded in having the ban lifted.

Would Have Been Spanish

Had the voyage of Ferdinand de Quiros in 1606 been successful, Australia might have been discovered by Spaniards, instead of Englishmen.

Fatalities On Holiday Close To A Year Ago

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lighter due to the tire and fuel-saving campaigns.

Toward evening no fireworks deaths had been reported, and heavy restrictions on pyrotechnic displays in coastal areas gave rise to the prediction that fewer deaths and injuries would be reported from this cause.

Deaths from all causes during the Friday and Sunday Fourth of July week end last year reached 628, of which 384 were traffic victims.

Deaths by states reporting today included Arkansas, 1.

Lincoln

Miss Maye Messersmith

Mr. and Mrs. George Meuschke and daughter, Orlean and Patsy, of Slater, spent Saturday night and Sunday here with Mrs. Dorothy Hierman and Mrs. Lydia Mueller, who had spent the past two weeks in the Meuschke home, returned here with them and Miss Patsy Meuschke remained here for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anton, son David and daughter, Eulalia, of Sedalia, were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hare had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Amos Owen, Gail Claude Hare and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Standard and daughter, all of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Hare and sons, Hubert Gene Hare of the home.

Mrs. A. F. Heerman, who is employed in Kansas City, spent last Friday and Saturday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Labahn went to Odessa last Tuesday where they visited until Thursday with their sons, A. L. and A. M. Labahn and their wives.

Miss Mary Margaret Hunt has received a civil service appoint-

ment as junior stenographer at Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Claude D. Smith and son, of Los Angeles, Calif., visited here last week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Roberts. The ladies are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Roberts.

Mrs. Melinda Connell, Mrs. Delphia Doyle, Mrs. Anne Wisdom Humphrey all of Kansas City, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom, of Green Ridge, were guests in the same home on Sunday as were Mrs. H. A. Redman and Mrs. Guy B. Neas, of Odessa, Texas, who were guests in the home the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Heerman and family of Iowa visited here a few days recently with her mother, Mrs. Katie Wisch, here.

Rev. J. W. Wits sprained his instep last Thursday and was unable to occupy his pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Frakes, of Kansas City, visited here last Monday night and Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. K. F. Davis and Mr. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Labahn of Odessa, Mo., visited here Sunday and Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Labahn, Sr. and Dr. and Mrs. S. O. Stratton. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Labahn, Jr., visited in the same homes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Roberts and family of Higginsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts last Sunday afternoon. Other guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanes and Betty and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stanfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brill and daughter, Dorothy Ann, were dinner guests Sunday of her parents in Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd. Dorothy Ann remained there for a week's visit.

Miss Georgie Sartin, who has been teaching the past year in the west, is visiting at the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kullman.

Mrs. G. B. Taylor of Abilene, Kas., visited here a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs.

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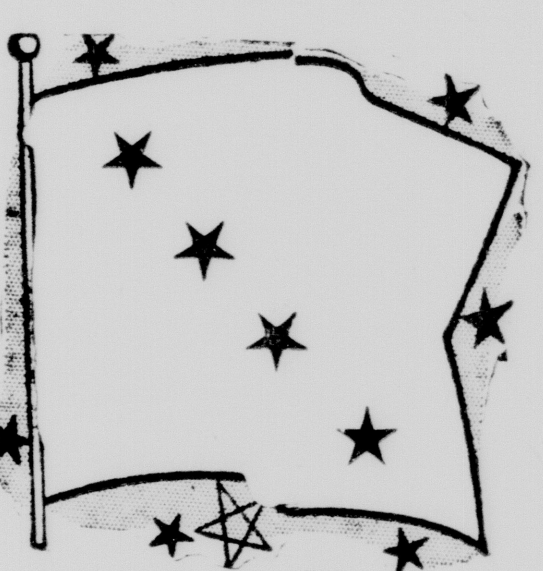
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Society and Clubs

Miss Marcella Coppers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coppers, became the bride of Pfc. Thomas William Hurley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Hurley in a ceremony performed at 6 o'clock Friday morning at Sacred Heart church. The nuptial mass was said by the Rev. Andrew J. Brunswick, in the presence of relatives and close friends of the bridal couple.

Palms and baskets of gladioli formed an aisle to the sanctuary where the couple exchanged vows, and other summer flowers and candles decorated the altar. An American flag stood at one side of the sanctuary and the papal flag at the other side. Altar boys were John Hurley and Donald Weller.

During the mass Miss Mary Alice Donahoe sang "Ave Maria" (Schubert), and "Mother Beloved" (Lord), accompanied on the organ by Mrs. J. J. Comer, and during the service Mrs. Comer played "Song of Love" (Romberg) and "Prayer" (Reed).

The bride wore a tailored French blue crepe svelte dress with a white straw sailor hat and other accessories in white. She carried a white prayer book and a white orchid. She was given in marriage by her father.

Her matron of honor, Mrs. William Thomas Solon, chose a two-piece light beige dress with toast-colored hat and black accessories. Her flowers were Peruvian lilies.

Mr. Edward Hurley served his brother as best man.

Mrs. Clyde Coppers was attired in a printed triple sheer blue dress and had a corsage of gardenias, and the bride's grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Coppers, wore a black Spanish lace dress and a gardenia corsage.

A brown print crepe suit was worn by Mrs. Hurley, the bridegroom's mother, and her corsage was of gardenias, and his grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Riley, wore a blue figured silk suit and her shoulder bouquet was of pink gladioli.

Immediately after the ceremony Private and Mrs. Hurley left for a trip south and after July 16 will be at Rolla, Mo. The bridegroom, who attended Central Missouri State Teachers college, at Warrensburg, volunteered over a year ago for service in the U. S. Army and is now stationed at Fort Leonard Wood.

For the last two years the bride has resided with her grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Coppers, in Kansas City where she was engaged in secretarial work. Mrs. Coppers has returned to Sedalia and is living at 502 Wilkerson where Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coppers, who have been in Neosho, are now residing.

On Thursday evening the bridegroom's parents were hosts at a

Sisters To Be Brides O' Same Day



Miss Imogene Youngkamp (left) and her sister, Miss Josephine Youngkamp, who will become the brides of Mr. William J. Murphy of Springfield, formerly of Sedalia, and Mr. Harold J. Hudson of Kansas City, respectively in a double wedding ceremony Saturday morning, July 11, at St. Patrick's church here. The prospective brides, who are employed in Kansas City, are the daughters of Mrs. J. H. Youngkamp and the late Mr. Youngkamp of Sedalia. Mr. Murphy was for several years assistant extension agent of Pettis county.

7 o'clock dinner at their home, 210 West Broadway, honoring the bridal couple. Seated with the bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. Solon, Miss Nellie Hurley of Columbia and Mr. Edward Hurley.

The marriage of Miss Ruby Ruskin Kanter and Mr. Louis Schwartz of Austin, Texas, is being announced by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kanter, 406 Dal-Whi-Mo court. The nuptial service was performed June 30 at San Antonio by Rabbi Tamarkin.

The bride wore a costume suit of aqua shade with a white marquisette blouse and other accessories in white. She carried a white Bible adorned with two white orchids. The couple was unattended.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz will be at home at 1414 Newfield Lane, in Austin.

The bride, who attended the University of Missouri, has since September been employed by the federal government in the income tax division office at Austin.

Mr. Schwartz, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Schwartz of Austin, is a well known business man there.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brownfield, 317 East Boonville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Emma Jean, to Mr. Steve Scott, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Scott, 1904 South Lamine avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott were married in Warrensburg June 13 by the Rev. Jonathan Hollyman.

The couple is residing at 225 South Missouri avenue. Mr. Scott is employed at the Lamy Over-all factory.

Miss Kathryn Stirlen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Stirlen of Warrensburg, and Private Larkin Slusher, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Slusher of Waverly, were married Wednesday, June 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewart in Redondo Beach, Calif.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. W. Young, a Methodist minister of that city.

The bride wore a blue suit with grey accessories and her corsage was of gardenias. Her only attendant was Miss Bernice Stewart and Private Ither Malone served as best man.

Mrs. Slusher was born and reared at LaMonte and is a graduate of the LaMonte high school and of the Missouri State Teachers college at Warrensburg. She has taught in rural schools of Pettis and Johnson counties. The past term she taught in the elementary system at Waverly.

The groom is now in the U. S. army stationed at Ft. Mac Arthur, Calif. He is a graduate of the Waverly high school and attended Missouri Valley college in Marshall. Before he joined the army he was superintendent of the water works in Waverly and also was a fruit grower there.

After spending the summer in California, Mrs. Slusher will resume her duties this fall as a teacher in the Waverly schools.

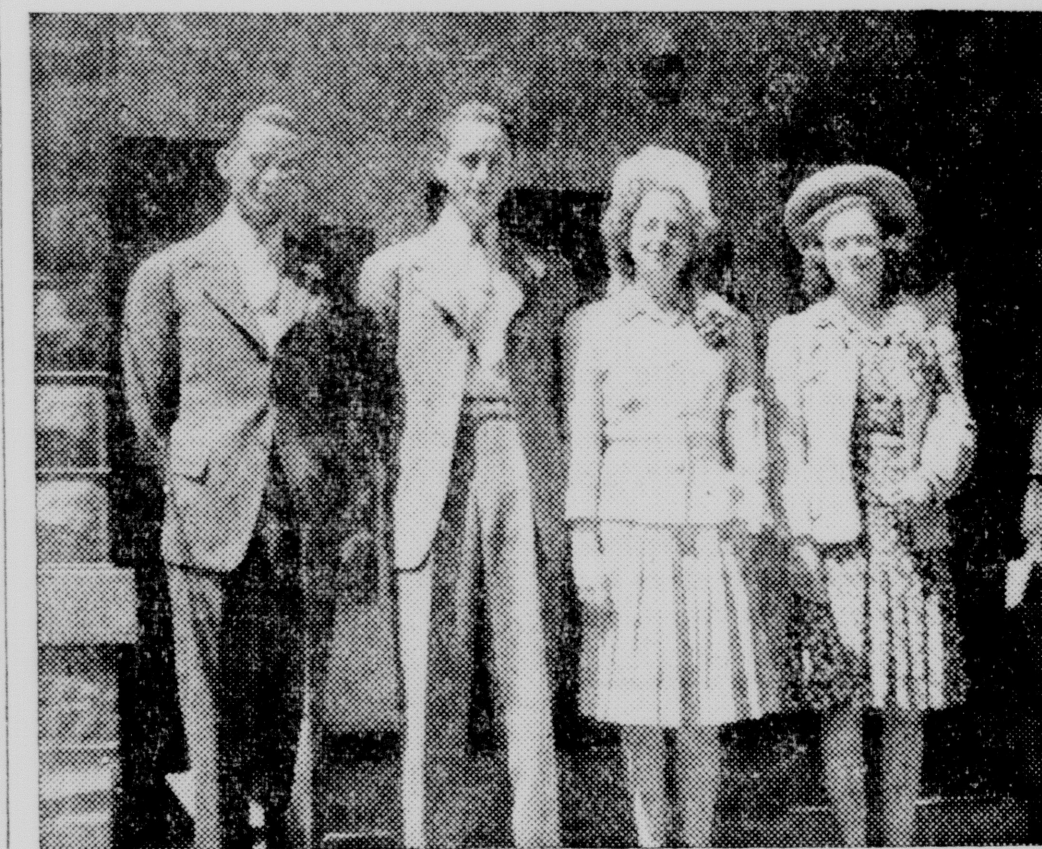
Miss Billie Nash, of Joplin and Mr. T. F. Van Winkle, of Kansas City, were married at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. Van Winkle's sister, Mrs. H. U. Campbell, and Mr. Campbell, and the ceremony was said by Mr. Campbell, who is pastor of the Fifth street Methodist church. The couple was unattended.

The bride wore a white jersey dress, with a design of tan and brown flowers, a picture hat of milan in matching colors, and a corsage of tansman roses and stepenia.

The couple will spend a honeymoon in the Ozarks, then return to Joplin to reside.

Mrs. Nash has been teaching in Joplin and Mr. Van Winkle is district salesman for the Diamond Match Company.

Bridal Couple And Attendants



Mr. and Mrs. William Boone Hurt (center) with Miss Challis Johnson and Mr. James Allen Mayfield, who attended them at their marriage ceremony Tuesday afternoon, June 23. Mrs. Hurt before her marriage was Miss Mary Jeanette Higdon, daughter of Mrs. C. A. Higdon of near Smithton.

at the Country club given by Miss Janet Stanley and Miss Patty Quinn, last night. Another out of town guest at the dance was Rex McKittrick, son of Roy McKittrick, attorney general of Missouri and Mrs. McKittrick, who is the house guest of Oscar Scott.

A large number of members of the Country club enjoyed the annual picnic supper and informal evening Saturday that marks the club's observance of the Fourth of July.

The supper was served cafeteria style on the large screened south porch. Dancing, cards and other games were the diversions afterward.

Members of the younger set were guests of Miss Patty Quinn and Miss Janet Stanley at an open house dance in the ballroom from 9:30 until 12 o'clock.

The holiday weekend festivities at the club will conclude tonight with the regular Sunday night supper.

Mrs. A. J. Harlan, 909 South Prospect avenue, was at home to a small group of friends from 4 until 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, complimenting Mrs. L. L.

Peterfish of Peoria, Ill., who was the houseguest last week of Mrs. John M. Rodeman, 1015 South Barrett avenue.

A crystal centerpiece with pink roses formed the bouquet graced the organdie-covered table in the dining room, and a bowl filled with Oriental poppies and baby breath centered the buffet, with white tapers in crystal holders at either side. Vases of gladioli and garden flowers were used in the living room.

Mrs. Elmer Adams served the punch and the hostess' mother, Mrs. George Hoffman and Miss Mildred Zeiser recently of San Diego, Calif., and now residing here, assisted Mrs. Harlan in entertaining.

Mrs. Peterfish is the former Miss Mildred Blount, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Blount, former Sedalians, now of Potosi, Mo. She and her daughter Joanne, left Friday for their home.

Church Events

Approximately 60 women were in attendance at a meeting of the Women's Council of the First

Recent Visitors Here



Private Clifford Perkins, who is stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn., and Mrs. Perkins who were recent guests of his mother, Mrs. Tennie Perkins, 411 East Third street. Private Perkins attained his early education in the Smithton schools, and completed his high school work in Jefferson City, graduating in 1936. His wife resides in the capital city.

Christian church and the councils of other Christian churches in the county Thursday afternoon in Sedalia.

The speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. L. E. Lakin of Warrensburg, president of the second district which comprises eight counties, and the emphasis of her

talk was on the theme of the conference. "The Bible and Its World View." Preceding her talk Mrs. Lakin gave the pledge to the Christian flag. She was introduced by Mrs. L. H. Hodges who was in charge of the program. The devotional was delivered by Mrs. C. E. Terry of Lamonte,

with the devotional hour being opened by an organ selection, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," with Chimes, played by Mrs. H. O. Foraker. Miss Mary Frances Stoner was the vocal soloist on the program, and her accompaniments were played by Mrs. Foraker. President of the Women's Coun-

Bridal Couple



Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell Smethers, who were married June 7 at the East Sedalia Baptist church. Mrs. Smethers was formerly Miss Lenora Mae Swearingen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Swearingen.

'Blind Bogie' Journey Planned

A blind bogie tournament is planned for the women golfers at the Country Club Tuesday, and foursomes will play during the morning and afternoon.

Winners of the flag tournament last Tuesday, with play determined by handicap, were Mrs. Ira Mounts of Windsor for "A" class and Miss Mary Catherine Redmond for "B" class.

Pairings for Tuesday will be as follows:

Mrs. L. R. Bailey, Mrs. J. F. Denton, Mrs. Ira Mounts and Mrs. A. J. Brandom.

Mrs. L. H. Hodges, Mrs. Frank Wagner, Mrs. Howard Roberts and Miss Mary Catherine Redmond.

Mrs. Lawrence Barnett, Mrs. Harold Yunker, Mrs. John R. Van Dyne and Miss Genevieve Stanley.

Mrs. Norman Scotten, Miss Mary Ritchie, Miss Henrietta Spahn and Mrs. A. J. Harlan.

Mrs. C. A. Wright, Miss Bertha Rose, Mrs. L. J. Banner and Miss Lillian Hurley.

The first named in each foursome is the chairman, and is to contact the others in her group to make arrangements for the times of playing.

cil, Mrs. H. J. Staubli, presided over the conference which began with a 12 o'clock luncheon served at the church.

The Young People's Missionary society of the Epworth Methodist church will meet at the home of Virginia Barnum, 1901 East Broadway, Monday at 8 p. m.

Wed June 25



Mrs. Ray Embry, who was married June 25 in Lamonte to Mr. Embry. She is the former Miss Verna Mae Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson of Beaman. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Embry.

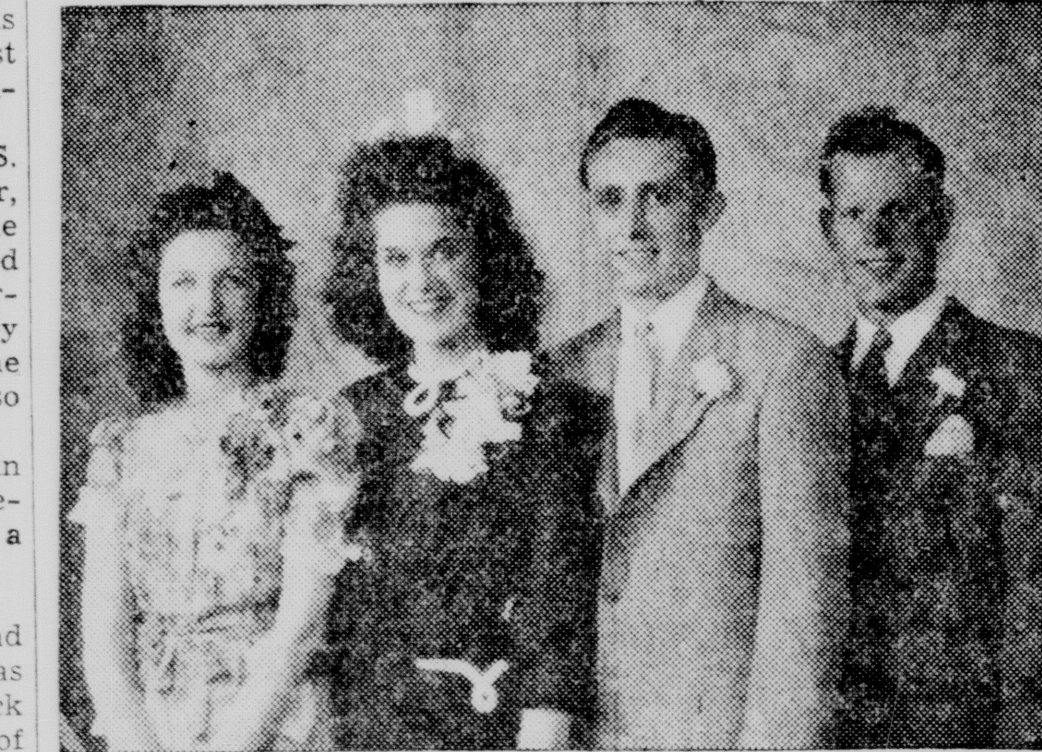
Miss Nancy Reuter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reuter of Sedalia, Mo. says:



"I thoroughly enjoyed my few months of training in CENTRAL BUSINESS College of Sedalia, Mo. It hardly seemed possible that one could train so quickly and cheaply for an assured position in the business world; yet that is just what happened to me and my fellow students.

The faculty was kind and helpful at all times. Even after having been employed several months with Standard Brands Inc., at Kansas City, I find their interest still keen in my behalf. I feel that I can always turn to the College for help if necessary."

Evans-Pirtle Wedding Party



Left to right are Mrs. M. R. Pace Mrs. Fred Evans, nee Miss Helen Pirtle, Mr. Fred Evans and Mr. Pace. Mr. and Mrs. Evans, who were married Saturday, June 27, by the Rev. Walter Arnold, are now at home at 523 1/2 West Seventh street.

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A big heater that gives years of faithful service. These stoves were manufactured before the shortages and are the same high quality that they have been for years. When these are gone there will be no more.

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Additional Society

Honored At A Tea

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Downey of Fayette, Mo., announce the marriage of their daughter, Winona, to Lieutenant Dan Hallowell of Farmer City, Ill. The marriage took place Saturday, June 27, in Kansas City, with the Rev. John Webb officiating.

The bride is well remembered in Sedalia having spent four years here with her sister, Mrs. Frank Lewis. She is an honor graduate of the 1939 class of Smith-Cotton high school, and since her graduation has been employed in Rantoul, Ill., and Burlington, Iowa.

Lieutenant Hallowell attended the University of Illinois at Champaign, majoring in engineering, and later joined the U. S. Air Corps graduating from the advanced flying school at Luke Field, Ariz., on June 23.

After a honeymoon spent visiting their respective families, Lieutenant and Mrs. Hallowell will be at home at Tampa, Fla., where he will continue his duties in the air corps.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Hays, daughter of Mrs. O. R. Hays of Tipton, and Mr. Alva White, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. Alva White, Sr., of Tipton, were married Saturday afternoon, June 27, at 4 o'clock in the Cherryvale church, Arlington, W. Va. The Rev. W. H. Brown read the double ring ceremony.

The bride chose for her wedding an aqua blue ensemble with long coat and her accessories were in white. She wore an orchid corsage. Her attendant, Miss Jean Patrick of Bethany, Mo., wore a rose and white dress and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Mr. White was attended by Mr. Robert Stanwood, U. S. N. R., of Carthage, Mo.

Following a reception Mr. and Mrs. White left for a honeymoon and will be at home after July 6 in Arlington.

Ladies of the GAR will meet at Woodman-Maccabee hall Monday, starting with a social period to last from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m. A picnic lunch will be served at the noon hour. The business session will start at 2 o'clock.

The following account of the wedding of Miss Kathryn McGrath, niece of Miss Helen Sullivan and William Sullivan of Sedalia, route 6, appeared Thursday, June 25, in the Hammond (Ind.) Times.

"Miss Kathryn McGrath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McGrath, 252 Highland street, became the bride of Thomas L. Rogers this morning at 10 o'clock in a simple marriage service, which was performed by the Rev. A. Quinlisk in the rectory of All Saint's church. Following the ceremony, a breakfast for the immediate families and a few close friends was held at Woodman Country club. Places for 20 were arranged at a table which was centered with a beautiful bouquet of roses and delphinium sent from Sedalia, Mo., by relatives of the bride.

"Striking with the bride's raven hair and fair skin was the aqua blue linen suit which she chose for her tailored bridal costume. With it she wore a white straw hat trimmed with London tan to match her brown and white accessories. Gardenias formed the bride's corsage and also were the flowers worn by her attendant, Miss Patrice McShane. As maid of honor, the latter was attractive in a brown linen suit and all white accessories.

"Charles William McGrath, brother of the bride, served Mr. Rogers as best man.

"The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rogers, Boeke Road, Evansville, Ind. His mother was here for the wedding and another out-of-town guest was T. Clifford of Dunkirk, N. Y.

"After a honeymoon trip through Michigan and Wisconsin, the bride and groom will be at home in an apartment at 1915 Sherman street near Glenview, Ill., where Mr. Rogers is working as an engineer at the naval air base. A member of Beta

Wed Recently



Mrs. George Meyers, the former Miss Dorothy Ellen Logan, daughter of Mrs. Ray Logan, of Sedalia, whose marriage to Mr. Meyers took place June 17 in Kansas City.



Mrs. L. L. Petefish of Peoria, Ill., the former Miss Mildred Blount of Sedalia, who was the honored guest at an informal tea given by Mrs. A. J. Harlan at her home, 909 South Prospect avenue, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Petefish was the house guest last week of Mrs. John M. Rodeman, 1015 South Barrett avenue.

Theta Pi fraternity, Mr. Rodgers was graduated from Vanderbilt university at Nashville, Tenn., after attending high school in Evansville. He was an engineer for the local Columbia Center Housing project when he met the young woman who is his bride.

"Until her marriage, Miss McGrath was bookkeeper at the Standard Lumber and Coal company, having been educated at Hammond high and Indiana University Extension division. She is a popular member of Pi Sigma Phi sorority and Bellatrix Alumnae club."

The bride, on Tuesday evening, June 23, was honored at a shower given by her Pi Sigma sorority sisters, the last of a series of pre-nuptial events.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers, the latter formerly Miss Dorothy Ellen Logan, daughter of Mrs. Ray Logan, 1014 South Kentucky avenue, are telling friends of their marriage, which took place in Kansas City, June 17. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John T. Webb, Methodist minister.

Mr. Meyers is employed by the Union Pacific in Fairbury, Neb.

Mrs. Meyers is temporarily with her mother, and will later join her husband in Salina, Kas., where they plan to make their home.

Address And Entertainment

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much in the scrap pick-up campaign. All over the Missouri Pacific system they are picking up every small piece of wire, bolt, nails and anything that may be of any use in the defense of the country. "I appeal to every farmer, merchant and people in the city to dig deep and pick up every item of scrap on your premises and see that it is delivered to the proper people for shipment to the steel mills who are badly in need of all the scrap they can get. We have become a people who say, 'Let George do it.' That is an old habit and we should ourselves do the job," he said.

"The American Association of Railroads is also interested in the work to be done in this all-out war effort. There is no shortage of railroad transportation and we can handle and want your business."

Address By Rev. Arnold
Mr. Callender then introduced Rev. Walter P. Arnold, Pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist Church and Chaplain of Pettis County Post No. 16 of the American Legion, as the principal speaker. Mr. Callender spoke of Rev. Arnold as one of the outstanding and prominent speakers in the community and a veteran of the World War No. 1.

Rev. Arnold said in part: "This is more than my town and more than your town; it is our town. It is not mine in the sense that I own a little corner over here with a fence around it; and it is not yours in that you possess a part of it an another corner with a fence around that section. But all the town is yours and all the town is mine. It is ours to share together. What is good for you and your town is good for me. What hurts me and my town injures you. This is our town co-operatively. Let us make it our town indeed.

"But it is impossible to think of a town so abstractly that we can not see individuals and groups making up that town. In our town we have: City officials and servants that represent the administrative, the legislative and the judicial side of our municipal life. Who would want to live in a town without law and order? We all want a Mayor, a police force,

professional people that mean everything to our town. Who would want to live in a town without a single business house, a corner grocery store where we could run out thirty minutes before meal time and grab a few things to eat? Who would want to live in a town without a doctor, a nurse, a lawyer or educator? They have come here and invested their money, not only for what they will get out of their investment, but also to render service to you. As the business man and professional man prospers in our town, so will our town prosper and grow. These men deserve your patronage. Give to them. They are a part of our town. In our town there are more than thirty Churches of various creeds and beliefs. Who would want to live in a town without a church? No one. These churches are making a vital contribution to our town. Our town needs every one of them. We do not have too many churches.

Revere The Flag

"I am not making a plea for Baptists, for Protestants, Catholics, or Jews. I am making a heartfelt appeal for a religious practice such as that Old Flag guarantees to everyone who lives beneath its protecting folds; the right to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience. This scene has been enacted several times right here in Sedalia. It was re-enacted Thursday in Calvary Cemetery. An ex-service man was shipped back to Sedalia for burial. The American Legion was called upon to assist at the grave. Standing at the head of the grave was your humble servant, a Baptist Minister, Chaplain for the American Legion. Kneeling at the foot of the grave was Father Staack of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, saying prayers for the dead; standing in the firing squad was a buddy who had also served as pall-bearer who was Jew. Show me another country where Baptist, Catholic, Protestant and Jew can stand around an open grave together and worship his own God in his own way without being molested. There is plenty of room for all the churches in this town. And if you have an ounce of religion in that old 'gizzard' of yours, get into a church of your choice and support it for the good of your town. And if you can not find a church that suits, start one that does. But whatever you do, practice your religion and encourage the other fellow to do the same thing. We come now to the last and the most important group mentioned here tonight; the laboring man, the man of the brawn. Who would want to live in a town where every citizen held a political office, or every one was a white-collared business man or professional man or where every one was a Priest, Rabbi or Preacher? Who would want to live in a town where there was not a single working man? Nobody would. Our town is blessed with a large percentage of laboring men. My hat is off to the men who earn his bread by the sweat of his brow. I want to pay my respects to the men of the Shops and especially the men under Mr. Callender in the Mo. Pac. Shops here in Sedalia.

Help Garner Grain
"In a direct response to an appeal, here is what happened: For two days there appeared long columns of names, addresses and telephone numbers in the Sedalia Democrat. When they were all turned in, practically every day and night man of the shops had volunteered to help the farmers. Over 300 of these men have already gone out into the fields and

helped to harvest the fast ripening grain.
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Merchants Lose 1-9 To Topeka Kansas; Play Again Today

Christian To Pitch For Sedalia; Either Coffman Or Hickey For Topeka Scotts

The Sedalia Merchants baseball team played good ball up until the seventh inning when they appeared to break under the strain and bowed to defeat to the Topeka Scotts, Topeka, Kansas, 9 to 1 on the Liberty Park diamond Saturday. The teams will play a second game at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the local ball park.

A sensational home run was made by E. Gordon of the Topeka team in the seventh inning, which sailed over the center field fence far above the top of the fence, with one of his mates on base. Thomas started for Sedalia and

Baseball Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE

First game:
Boston010 000 103—5 8 1
New York 403 200 02x—11 14 0
Donovan, Erickson (3) Wal-
lace (5) Lombardi (5); Melton
and Danning.
Home runs: DeMaree (2), Mize
(3), Cuccinello (7) Barna (8) Ro-
berge (3).

Second game:
Brooklyn130 220 00—14 17 1
Phil.000 000 000—0 7 4
Higbe and Owen, Sullivan (4);
Naylor, Nahem (2) Hoerst (3)
Beck (6) Livingston, Warren (7).
Home run: Rizzo (8).

First game:
Cincinnati000 000 020—2 3 0
Pittsburgh000 000 000—0 5 1
Walters and Lamanno; Butcher,
Wilkie (9) and Lopez.
Home run: Walker (8).

Second game:
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh postponed.

First game:
Chicago100 050 000—6 10 1
St. Louis001 031 000—5 11 1
Olsen, Moity (7) and McCul-
lough; M. Cooper, Dickson (5),
Lanier (9) and W. Cooper.
Home run: Fox (5).

Second game:
Boston000 200 000—2 6 2
New York 010 200 00x—3 6 2
Tost and Klutz; Lohman and
Mancuso.

Second game:
Brooklyn000 400 001—5 7 0
Phil.010 000 003—4 10 3
Allen, Casey (9) and Owen;
Pearson, Podgajny (4) Nahem (7),
Naylor (9) and Warren.
Home run: Northey (2) Reiser
(9).

Second game:
Chicago300 000 000—3 6 3
St. Louis103 031 10x—9 13 0

Bithorn, Hanyzewski (3), Pres-
suell (7) and Hernandez; Pallet,
Dickson (1), and Odea.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

First game:
New York210 020 100—6 14 2
Boston010 001 010—3 8 1
Ruffing and Rosar; Judd, Terry,
(3) Butland (6) Riba (8) Conroy.
Home runs: Conroy (2) Lupien
(6).

First game:
Philadelphia 200 200 010—5 11 0
Washington 010 000 001—2 6 2
L. Harris and Wagner; Hudson,
Zuber (8) and Early.

Second game:
Detroit020 010 000—3 11 1
Cleveland300 302 02x—10 15 0
Bridges, Gorsica (5) and Teb-
betts; Milnar, Heving (3) and
Denning.

First game:
St. Louis000 312 200—8 12 1
Chicago001 002 020—5 8 4
Galehouse and Hayes; Smith
and Turner.
Home run: Stephens (4).

Second game:
Detroit200 000 010—3 8 1
Cleveland201 000 000—3 4 0
Henshaw and Parsons; Bagby,
Benton (9) and Hegan, Tebbetts
(9).

Home run: Higgins (1).
(Tie).

Second game:
Phil.001 000 001—2 8 7
Washington 431 020 200—12 16 2
Marchildon, Knott (2) and
Swift, Wagner (9); Wynn Shirley
(6) and Early.

Second game:
New York010 000 021—4 11 0
Boston000 002 13x—6 12 1
Bonham, Murphy (9) and
Kearse, Dickey (9); Hughson and
Peacock.

Home run: DiMaggio (2), Prid-
dy (8) Williams (6) one on.

Second game:
St. L. 100 203 000 010 1—8 17 1
Chi. 301 000 002 010 0—7 14 2
Hollingsworth, Caster (11) and
Hayes; Dietrich, Grove (7), Wade
(11), Hayes (12) and Tresh.

pitched good ball, but his team mates evidently were tired from a pre-Fourth of July celebration and full of mistakes. Coffelt re-
lieved him in the seventh and Lingle took over in the eighth.
Sedalia's lone run came in the eighth inning, but they missed several good chances when the hometown batters failed in the pinch. They tallied ten hits in the game in comparison with eleven for the opponents.

Certainly the visitors gave the Sedalia boys a good demonstration in how to play heads-up baseball and it was a good game to watch as far as the visiting team was concerned.

A pep talk will no doubt, be in store for the Sedalians today.

This afternoon the game lineup will be used by each club with the exception of the pitching de-
partment. For the Sedalians, Christian will be on the mound while for the visitors either Coff-
man or Hickey.

The score:
Topeka100 310 310—9 11 3
Sedalia000 000 010—1 10 0
E. Deschner and J. Tarr;
Thomas, Coffelt (7), Lingle (8)
and Summers.

The umpiring problem will be a fifty-fifty proposition each team furnishing half of the umpires who will switch positions at the end of four and a half innings. Sedalia is taking along Siegel, Walker and Sims and two will be elected from these men.

Today's lineup for the local club will be Richardson, short stop; Livengood, first base; Weller, catcher; Hunt, third base; Hughes, center field; Donath, pitcher; Kan-
ter, right field; Thomas, left field; and Hanpeter, second base. Util-
ity: Landers, Brownfield, Shea, Clark, Ditton and Sedlock.

A Good Record
The team will meet at the home of Manager Glenn at 10 o'clock and will eat their dinner either in California or Jefferson City. The game will begin at 1 o'clock.

The first game setback not only dropped the Red Birds another game behind the unbreakable Brooklyn Dodgers, but snapped the winning streak of Mort Cooper, the hottest pitcher in the National league right now, at nine straight.

Jimmy Wilson's sluggers un-
cocked all the power they posses-
sed and knocked Mort out of the
box with a five run spurge in the
fifth inning. A double by Lou
Novikoff with the bases loaded
and a home run by Jimmy Fox—
his seventh this year—with two
on sent Cooper to the show-
ers. It was his fourth defeat
against 11 victories.

The second game was a tri-
umph for Murry Dickson, who
dropped the Cubs on three hits
in 8½ innings after hurling al-
most four frames of relief ball in
the first encounter. All three Chi-
cago runs were scored off young
Howard Pollet in the first inning,
two bases on balls and three sin-
gles after two were out causing
his quick departure.

Enos Slaughter, who got four
hits in five trips to the plate in
the second game, drove in the
eighth run in the sixth and Marty
Marion singled home the final
tally in the seventh.

Shut Out Captures
Yankee Handicap
BOSTON, July 4.—(P)—Shut
out the great three-year-old of
the Greentree Stables, cracked
the Suffolk Downs track record
for the mile and three-sixteenths
today as he captured the \$25,000
added Yankee Handicap by a
head from the hard driving Val-
dina Orphan, his recent conquer-
or, in record time in the Dwyer
Stakes.

Shut out, winner of the Ken-
tucky derby and the Belmont cup
this year, covered the distance
in 1:55.2, slicing four fifths of a
second off the track mark of
1:56½ set by Cravat in June,
1938.

Rounders, the Irish bred Val-
dina farms stablemate of the
"Orphan," was third, five and
three-quarters lengths behind the
flying leaders, while Col. E. R.
Bradley's Bless Me finished half
a length behind in the field, cut
to four by the late scratch of
Mrs. M. E. Boergers A. One.

Yankees Hold A
Four Game Lead
BOSTON, July 4.—(P)—The
New York Yankees held a four-
game American league lead at
the traditional Fourth of July
halfway mark today after divid-
ing a doubleheader with the sec-
ond-place Boston Red Sox before
a capacity crowd of 32,902.

Winning the opener, 6 to 3, the
Yanks assured themselves of the
edge in the important three-game
series, then dropped the night-
cap, 6 to 4, when Boston's Thump-
in' Ted Williams let loose with
an outburst of late-inning slug-
ging.

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Jr. Legion To Play Jeff City There Today

First Game In The District Playoff Columbia Is Next

Starting today the Junior American Legion baseball team will battle for the right to go to the State Legion tournament at St. Joseph, by meeting Jefferson City there. They will also have to meet the Columbia team on the Sedalia diamond next Sunday.

A shortage of Junior Legion teams in the district nearly sent the Sedalians to the tournament without having to play another Legion team, but a last minute get together by the District Com-
missioner Ben Porter, resulted in organizing teams in Columbia and Jefferson City in this district. A one game elimination was arranged, any team defeating the other two will be declared champion, but should the teams defeat one opponent then another play-off will have to be arranged.

Donath Will Start
Manager Cecil Glenn announced Saturday he would rely upon Donath to pull the Sedalians through the game today, with plenty of relief on hand if it is necessary. He and Coach Gene Horner are confident the team will weather both contests and travel on to the Capital City.

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Corn Husking Tourney Is Off

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 4.—(P)—Cancellation of the national corn husking contest scheduled to be held Oct. 29 near Mankato, Minn., this fall, was announced by Berry Akers, St. Paul, di-
rector of the national association which sponsors the annual event.

Akers said cancellation of the meet was decided on last night after a conference with the Blue Earth County Corn Husking com-
mittee, with the conservation of rubber the chief reason.

Akers said contests in the 11 states of Pennsylvania, Ohio, In-
diana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota, Wisconsin and Minnesota also will be abandoned this year. A few local contests may be held in the fall, Akers said, but the National Corn Husking Contest Association will not sponsor any events.

Several of the expected lead-
ing contestants, Akers added, are
now in the nation's armed forces,
including Floyd Wise, Prairie
Center, Ill., 1941 champion.

Probable Pitchers In The Major Leagues

NEW YORK, July 4.—(P)—Pro-
bable pitchers for tomorrow's ma-
jor league doubleheaders (won-
lost records in parentheses):

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn at Boston—French
(8-0) and Davis (8-3) vs. Tobin
(7-10) and Javery (6-9).
New York at Philadelphia—
Schumacher (5-6) and Koslo (3-4)
vs. Hughes (3-9) and Johnson
(4-8).

Chicago at St. Louis—Schmitz
(2-5) and LeLe (9-7) vs. Gum-
bert (2-4) and E. White (3-4).
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh—Der-
ringer (4-4) and Riddle (2-6) vs.
Hamlin (2-3) and Sewell (7-7).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Philadelphia at New York—
Besse (1-4) and Wolff (7-8) vs.
Gomez (2-4) and Borowy (6-1).
Boston at Washington—H. New-
some (7-3) and Chase (2-3) vs.
Newsom (5-12) and Carrasquel
(1-2).

Cleveland at Detroit—Harder
(5-7) and Gromek (1-0) vs. Trout
(4-8) and H. White (6-6).
St. Louis at Chicago—Auker
(10-6) and Caster (3-1) or Sun-
dra (1-4) vs. Lyons (6-5) and
Ross (2-2).

Manager Luke Sewell Back To Active Duty

CHICAGO, July 4.—(P)—Manager Luke Sewell of the St. Louis Browns, one of the Ameri-
can league's outstanding catchers
from 1921 to 1938, said today that
he had returned to the active list
as an emergency measure.

Sewell, 41, said he didn't plan
to go behind the bat, however,
unless he was deprived of the
services of Frank Hayes, his only
available catcher. Rick Ferrell,
the Browns regular receiver, was
left behind in St. Louis because
of a back ailment.

Sewell didn't play last year.



THE other afternoon while visiting with Sergeant Jack Reuter, home on furlough, and talking over the situation on "how to win the war" another old member of the 128th Field Artillery, James Russell, came walking up. Russell has been discharged from the 128th and is now awaiting assignment with the Air Corps, expecting to be assigned within a few days. He is now on detached duty with the army.

After a lengthy conversation Private Russell had to leave and to show how casual and sporty these young men of our armed forces are, his goodbye message was "See you in Australia or someplace across the briny deep" to which Sergeant Reuter replied "I hope so."

The feeling of these young men, their actions, are far from being on the side of wanting "non-combatant" service. They are brave, but don't display it, only when their casual goodbyes or hellos are made to one another.

ALL you readers of the Democrat recall the story of Mort Cooper and his defense job with Remington Arms last winter when he gave up the job so some one who actually was in need of work could have it. Well to us he is being repaid by the record he is so successfully making with the Red Birds this season. He's doing a job with the St. Louis club and doing it well and I am getting that man who got his job is working hard, and all those kiddies of that man's family are his ever-lasting admirers.

To date Cooper has pitched 11 wins against three losses. This figure also includes six shutouts. His last victory was last Tuesday night when he made it his ninth consecutive victory. His three losses incidentally were by just one lone run.

According to the sports writers the unlucky opponents who have had to face Cooper and his brother Walker on the receiving end, can blame it all on a surgeon's scalpel—the instrument that sliced some teeth from Mort Cooper's pitching elbow and put them in his delivery. It was May, 1941 when this little operation was held and it certainly did wonders.

Whirling off the Tuesday and Thursday softball Twilight League games without a "hitch" the Tues-
day group remains all tied up, while in the Thursday affair the Houstonia Blues now have the edge by one game. In Tuesday's group Stewart Avenue Market, and Missouri Apprentice Club, are tied six wins to one loss.

The leagues still being supervised by the W. P. A. Recreation program, are becoming more attractive to softball fans week by week. The past week the largest attendance at any of the games was experienced and with the weather evidently settling down to normal again, this attendance should continue to remain on an increase.

Games for this Tuesday are—Eugene Field Adco vs Sacred Heart Church, 6:15 p. m.
La Monte Vikings vs Stewart Avenue Market, 6:15 p. m.

Hughesville Athletic Club vs Mo. Pac. Appr. Club, 7:15 p. m.
Dresden Rattlesnakes vs Eugene Field Sluggers, 7:15 p. m.

Standings of the Tuesday league:

	W	L	Pct.
Stewart Ave.	6	1	.858
Mo. Pac. Appr.	6	1	.858
Sacred Heart Church	5	1	.835
Hughesville	3	3	.500
E. F. Adco	3	4	.426
E. F. Sluggers	2	4	.333
Dresden	1	6	.142
La Monte	0	5	.000

Standings of the Thursday league:

	W	L	Pct.
Houstonia	5	1	.835
P. O. Ponies	4	2	.666
Scout Troop No. 1	4	2	.666
Pirates	3	2	.600
Mo. Pac. Ten	4	3	.572
Smith-Cotton	3	3	.500
Roberts Specials	1	3	.250

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Handicap Tournament At Public Course
Eighteen holes of the holiday handicap golf tournament being played at the Public Golf course were completed Saturday and to-
day the final eighteen will be run off to determine the winners. The first rounds were well partici-
pated in and today the group is expected to furnish plenty of thrills in their shooting.

Golf balls are being awarded as prizes to the various winners.

Take Wing A 12 To 1 Shot Is A Winner
CHICAGO, July 4.—(P)—Take Wing, a 12 to 1 shot won the \$10,000 Stars and Stripes handi-
cap as Arlington Park entertained 45,000 spectators today to raise \$100,000 for army and navy re-
lief.

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Whirlaway Runs Second In Butler Handicap
NEW YORK, July 4.—(P)—A. J. Sackett's Tola Rose won the Butler handicap at Empire City today, as Warren Wright's Whirlaway finished second.

Leading all the way, Tola Rose finished four lengths in front of the fast-closing Whirlaway, who barely got up to beat Mrs. Payne Whitney's Swing and Sway for second money. William Woodward's three-year old filly Vagrancy was fourth.

Leslie Fleming Back To Chicago For Operation
ST. LOUIS, July 4.—(P)—Leslie Fleming, right-handed Chicago Cub pitcher who was slated to start one of today's games against the Cardinals, returned to Chicago early today to undergo an emergency appendix operation. Vern Olsen drew Fleming's starting assignment.

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Vitamins A and D are fat solubles. Therefore, in cooking foods rich in these elements consider poaching, shirring, baking and broiling—not frying.

Take the thinnest possible parings from potatoes, carrots, apples or other vegetables and fruits. The part richest in minerals lies close to the skin. The food values will do more for your family than for the garbage can.

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● Planning a balanced diet and buying the right food is only half the job. If you don't store it properly and cook it correctly, appalling amounts of food values you have paid for never reach the table. This has been proved by laboratory tests which show that improper cooking LOSES almost one-third of the food values you pay for. Proper cooking is easy.

When you cook on the top of your range, just follow these four simple rules for better health cooking

1. Use small quantities of water. Many minerals and vitamins dissolve in water and are poured down the sink.
2. Cook food quickly after a fast start so minerals and vitamins are exposed for minimum time to water, air and heat.
3. Don't boil violently if you want to save vitamins.
4. Use covered utensils—avoid stirring—because certain vitamins are destroyed by air. Accurately controlled heat reduces the necessity of stirring.

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New "Red" Skelton Hit Opens Tuesday



Red "I Dood It" Skelton and Ann "Maisie" Southern bring their first co-starring hit "Maisie Gets Her Man" to the Fox Theater Tuesday for a three day engagement. Companion hit on the program will be "syncopation".

"Rhythm Riders" Here Today At The Fox!



One of the most popular radio acts in the Middle West, KMBC's Rhythm Riders, is scheduled to provide some varied entertainment when they appear here in person with the "Brush Creek Follies" at the Fox Theatre today.

The Rhythm Riders are a tune-up instrumental and vocal quartet. Featuring the music of eight instruments, these talented young artists play and sing every type of music from western and hillbilly to the popular "swing" arrangements of the modern dance band.

"Juke Girl" And "I Was Framed" Are The Features Starting At The Uptown Theatre Sunday For Three Days



Ann Sheridan and Ronald Reagan in a torrid scene from "Juke Girl," a thrilling story of record machines and rackets.

Romantic team—Ann Sheridan and Ronald Reagan are starred in Warner Bros., latest production, "Juke Girl," a gripping story of life and love in a wide open town. Also featured in the superb cast are George Tobias, Richard Whorf, Allan Hale, Gene Lockhart and Betty Brewer.

The companion feature is "I Was Framed" featuring Michael Ames, and Pulie Bishop.

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Missouri State Fair Be Held On The Dates Fixed

Announced By Governor F. C. Donnell That It Must Go On

"The show must go on" rule the statutes of Missouri concerning the Missouri State Fair, and Governor Forrest C. Donnell pointed out this fact Friday after conferences with Agriculture Commissioner John W. Ellis concerning the dispute over postponing the state's 42nd fair.

The governor announced that the fair would be held next month during the week of August 23 despite a Washington request that such exhibitions be abandoned to conserve rubber and gasoline. The question, which closed several state fairs, caused considerable debate among Missourians, who contended that because of the agricultural importance of the fair, it should be held.

"Obligatory" Donnell Says
"Under the law of the state of Missouri it is obligatory" to hold the fair, Donnell said Friday. He cited two statutes which provide for the annual event.

Ellis said the premium list probably would be restricted and that exhibits would "be in line with the war effort". Accent will be placed on victory gardens, canning displays which feature sugar substitutes and similar war-inspired developments.

The office of defense transportation asked three weeks ago that state and county fairs be abandoned this year to cut down on unnecessary travel, thus saving tires and gasoline. Donnell at first referred the question to the United States Department of Agriculture which agreed with the ODT request.

A Missouri statute which Donnell probably referred to was one

which stated that "For the purpose of encouraging the development of the agricultural, horticultural, mechanical, mineral, stock raising and all other industrial interests of the state of Missouri, there is hereby established a state fair, to be held annually at Sedalia, Missouri, and on the state fair grounds heretofore conveyed by deeds of conveyance to the state of Missouri; and said fair shall be under the control and management of the state board of agriculture, as hereinafter provided."

If the state should fail to hold the fair for three consecutive years, the statute provides that the land used for the fair would be returned to the parties donating it.

Home On Furlough



Private First Class William Harold Greer, of Williams Field, Ariz., quartermaster's corps, who is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Merrill, 816 West Third street. He has a fifteen day furlough.

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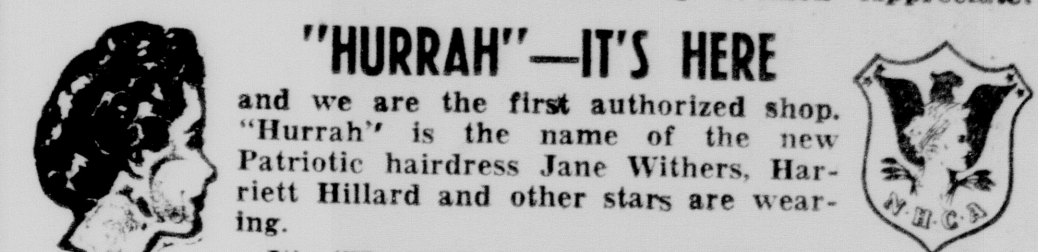
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LOST—Irish setter. Female. Lame front leg. Reward. Kahrs, 1407 Park.

STRAYED—One Hampshire sow. Phone 3254. Carl Walters, Route 6.

STRAYED — Small spotted steer 9 months old. Last seen near Breezy Point on South 65. Please call Geo. Anson.

II-Automotive

11-Automobiles for Sale

PRACTICALLY NEW — Dodge four door Sedan. Five new tires. \$19 E. 6th.

GOOD USED CARS—All kinds, cheap. Decker Motor Company, 15th and Ohio.

1940 DODGE—Sedan. Good tires. Very clean, \$100 below market. Cash, trade, terms. Call 2916.

III-Business Service

18-Business Services Offered

LAWN MOWERS sharpened, welding and blacksmithing. Leo Greene, 208 E. Main.

ELLISON RADIO SERVICE, 211 West Main Street. All makes. Phone 637.

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25-Moving, Trucking, Storing

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26-Painting Papering Decorating
WALLPAPER SPECIAL — Many 30 inch plastics, weavers, brocades, at 1/2 price, real bargain. Dugans, 116 E. 5th.

IV-Employment

32-Help Wanted-Female

LADY—employed wants housekeeper and companion. Good home for right party, references required. Address "Z" care Democrat.

IV-Employment

32-Help Wanted-Female

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WANTED—Woman at once, for general housework. 403 E. 6th.

33-Help Wanted-Male

PORTER—Experienced, must be neat and clean. No other need apply. Box "X" Democrat.

WANTED—10 laborers for quarry work. Transportation furnished. Missouri Limestone Fertilizer Company. Phone 67-F-11 or 48-F-4.

36-Situations Wanted-Female

MATURE WOMAN—Wants position as working companion to lady. Phone 1721.

V-Financial

38-Business Opportunities

WANTED—Men age 27 to 55 to train for farm managers and appraisers. Expenses paid Kansas City one week when you are qualified. Competent, trained experienced farm men earn from \$150 to \$250 monthly. Write for interview, giving phone. Dept. 32-F, Box 6827, Parkway Station, Kansas City, Mo.

40-Money to Loan-Mortgages

LOANS—Farm - City 4 1/2% to 5%. Save 25% on your insurance. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

VII-Live Stock

47-Dogs, Cats, other Pets

8 POINTER PUPS, liver and white, best of breeding. 1811 S. Carr. C. S. Long.

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49-Poultry and Supplies

POULTRY RAISERS
Do you want to raise Capons? If so see our Hatching man. Swift and Co., Main and Grand.

VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale

CLEAN duck feather bed and two pillows. 1721 S. Harrison.

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7 CEILING fans, good condition; 2 bicycles. 116 W. 3rd.

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1 Depicted is insignia of U. S. Civilian Defense

9 Girls and from 15 to 21 are eligible in this group.

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15 Wall painting.

16 Storeroom.

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10 Refuse.

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12 Frozen rain.

15 Male.

17 Sea eagles.

19 Sew loosely.

22 Egyptology (abbr.).

23 Slays.

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27 Concede.

29 Assam silkworm.

31 Essay.

33 Factory.

34 Month (abbr.).

36 Small sailing vessel.

37 Wait for.

38 English truck.

39 Native of Sweden.

41 Gods.

44 Compass point.

45 Chafe.

47 Dibble.

48 Mine shaft hut.

50 Pair (abbr.).

51 Myself.

VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale

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NEW STORE—1207 Ingram, bargains in everything. "Let's Trade." Phone 3355.

53-Building Materials

USED LUMBER—Sweeney, Mo., 3 miles northeast Clifton City.

ALL KINDS native building lumber, 1501 S. Missouri. Phone 2047.

55A-Farm Equipment

28 INCH—Avery separator. Sedalia, phone 73-F-3.

57-Good Things to Eat

FOR SALE—Nice fat fryers. Phone 68-F-23.

59-Household Goods

YOU CAN now purchase your new Warm Morning Stove under new modified government regulations. Phone 1991.

ELECTRIC—Refrigerator, porch swing, wardrobe, lawn mower. 609 Lafayette.

61-Machinery and Tools

SAWMILL, sawdust blower and motor. \$250.00. J. E. Hand, Houstonia.

62-Musical Merchandise

HOBART M. CABLE — Piano, bench, good condition. 1216 S. Lamine.

66-Wanted to Buy

WE PAY CASH FOR GOOD USED FURNITURE, STOVES AND RUGS. PEOPLES' FURNITURE STORE. PHONE 329.

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WE BUY and sell furniture, stoves, cream separators, featherers, men's shoes, washing and sewing machines, tools, dishes, fruit jars, and ice boxes. Clarence Dow

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69-Rooms for Housekeeping

DESIREABLE ROOM—in modern home. 616 W. 6th.

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74-Apartments and Flats

3 ROOM furnished modern apartment. 413 E. 7th.

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6-ROOM—duplex. Modern. Call at 212 S. Quincy.

2 ROOM furnished modern apartment. Phone 2812.

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X-Real Estate for Rent

74-Apartments and Flats

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75-Business Places for Rent

STORE BUILDING—503 S. Ohio. Apply Pfeifers Flower Shop.

BEAUTY SHOP — With living quarters. 210 W. 3rd. Phone 3386.

77-Houses for Rent

5 ROOM—Modern bungalow. 1004 W. 3rd. Phone 2875.

FIVE ROOM—Modern house. 1508 S. Grand. Phone 736.

5 ROOM modern home, garden. West side. Phone 1587-W.

FURNISHED modern 6 rooms. Close in. Possession immediately. Call 4390-R.

80-Suburban, Country for Rent

3 ROOM—House, 3 lots, fruit, inquire 21st. and Wagner.

81-Wanted-To Rent

UNFURNISHED kitchenette in modern home, by widow lady. Call 3789.

XI-Real Estate for Sale

82-Business Property for Sale

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LEAVING CITY—Must sell good income business property. Write "C" Democrat. Call 285.

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84-Houses for Sale

8 ROOM modern house, 303 W. 5th. Phone 2812.

FIVE HOUSES — Settle David Earp Estate. Apply 669 E. 14th.

RESIDENCE, 5 lots; outbuildings; well; cistern. Mrs. Emma Bohling, Florence, Mo.

6 ROOM—Duplex, corner 6th and Harrison. Inquire 615 W. 6th. St.

8 ROOM—House, also household goods, 1104 S. Massachusetts. Call after 6:30 p. m.

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89-Wanted-Real Estate

SMALL 5-7 room modern home. Write Box "H" care Democrat.

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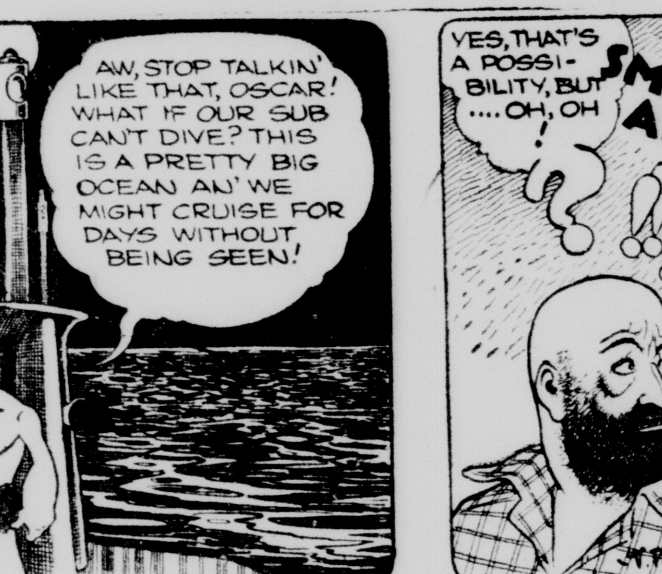
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Political Announcements

For County Collector
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For State Superintendent Of Public Schools
The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Clyde Foster Scotten a candidate for the nomination for the office of State Superintendent of Public Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic Party Primary, Tuesday, August 4, 1942.

For Clerk of Circuit Court
The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Bryan Howe a candidate for the nomination for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pettis County, subject to the action of the Democratic Party Primary, Tuesday, August 4, 1942.

For Judge County Court Western District
The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce George M. Lane a candidate for the nomination for the office of Judge of the County Court, Western District, subject to the action of the Republican Party Primary, Tuesday, August 4th.

For County Treasurer
The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Miss Anna King a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Pettis County subject to the action of the Democratic Party Primary, Tuesday, August 4th, 1942.

For Presiding Judge County Court
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For Clerk Of County Court
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• Obituaries

E. E. Ferguson
E. E. Ferguson, well known Pettis county farmer, died at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at his home, six miles north of Sedalia. He had been in failing health for several years.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anna Pollard Ferguson, two daughters, Miss Flossie Ferguson and Miss Gladys Ferguson, of the home, and a son, Reed Ferguson of Los Angeles, Calif.

No funeral arrangements will be made until the son in California is heard from.

The body is at Gillespie's Funeral home.

Eugene Proctor
Eugene Proctor, aged 12 years, son of William Proctor, of Warsaw, passed away at the Bothwell hospital at noon Friday and the body was taken to Warsaw.

He was brought to the hospital Thursday morning in a critical condition for medical attention.

Bennett C. Solomon
A letter received by the McLaughlin Undertaking Company from Lieut. H. E. Solomon, of Los Angeles, Calif., told of the death of his father, Bennett C. Solomon, a former Sedalian, which occurred in California June 30.

Mr. Solomon was born February 19, 1869. He was married to Cynthia Ann Hall, who died December 31, 1914, and later married Nancy Yates.

They moved to Sedalia in 1899.

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or 1900, living on a farm. The son attended the Sedalia high school in 1914-1916, and joined the navy in 1917.

Mr. Solomon was employed by the Missouri Pacific, Missouri, Kansas, Texas, and other railroads, retiring twenty-two years ago because of physical disabilities.

The body will be returned to Sedalia for burial in Crown Hill cemetery.

The son will accompany the body to Sedalia, which is expected to arrive Monday. Funeral services will be held at McLaughlin's chapel, the definite arrangements to be made Monday.

Some Adding Machines Released

Six and seven column adding machines have been released by the government and may be sold for civilian use, according to word received by Sam Raskin, manager of the Reliable Typewriter and Adding Machine Company. The release order applies to both new and used machines, which were frozen recently by the government.

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WSCS Presents Program At Green Ridge

Funeral Services Held Here For Herman Hinken

By MRS. F. J. KRAXBERGER

Several persons from Stover attended a program and luncheon at Green Ridge Friday afternoon, given as a return visit to the Presbyterian Missionary Society, by the WSCS of Stover. In spite of the inclement weather the program was enjoyed and appreciated. Rev. Opp accompanied the following ladies to Green Ridge, Mesdames Carl Opp, Dr. Wiest, Forrest Gerhart, Arthur Ward, A. J. Small, Ralph Wiest, William Wriede, Otto Kraxberger, Herschel Small and Miss Patricia Opp.

Herman J. Hinken died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gus Kraxberger, at Versailles, Saturday evening after an illness of several weeks. His wife preceded him in death several years ago. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Kraxberger and Mrs. T. C. Chism of Leeton, three brothers, and one sister. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Stover at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Interment was beside the grave of his wife in the city cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gehrs and son of Kansas City spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

George Huffman of Sugar Creek is visiting his nephew, Dr. William Huffman and Mrs. Huffman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kraxberger and son were business visitors in Boonville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wriede and Mr. and Mrs. Walt Tarkington were visitors in Jefferson City Sunday, viewing the flood waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Morrow of Moberly announce the arrival of an 8 1/4 pound son June 24. Mrs. Morrow is the former Alma Shireman of Stover.

Mrs. J. E. Scrivner suffered a fractured wrist Monday when she fell in the back yard of her home.

A farewell gathering was held Sunday in honor of Amos Munsterman, who left July 1 for army service training. Twelve neighbors and families brought a basket dinner and a program of music was presented during the afternoon by the Hotelling family.

Miss Wilma Ehlers is employed in the Central office taking the position of Miss Koehring, who resigned recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkens and family of the Lake Creek vicinity spent Sunday at the Mike Kraxberger residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fajen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fajen and daughter left Sunday for Blackburn, preparing their machines for the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hampton were business visitors here Monday and were enroute to the John Hampton home near Green Ridge.

A farewell dinner was given Sunday in honor of Leroy Kerkisek at the Richard Dieckman home. Mr. Kerkisek left for the army June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coester had as week end guests Hillard Coester, who will leave for military training this week. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Smoyer and family of Lawrence, Kas., Keith Coester of Warrensburg, Miss Wanda Coester of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Coester of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scrivner and daughter were Sunday guests at the F. Thompson home in Russellville.

Miss Lorena Munsterman of the state of California arrived Friday for a two months visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munsterman.

Robert Engelbrecht, James Scrivner and Cornelius Tamble left Thursday for the Kansas harvest fields.

D. Huffman and George Huffman spent Sunday at Macks Creek, visiting relatives.

• Windsor

By MRS. W. T. JORDAN

Mr. and Mrs. Andy J. Harbit celebrated their golden wedding anniversary June 21 with open house from 2:30 until 5:30 o'clock.

A family reunion was held during the noon hour at Rock Island Park. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Harbit of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harbit and family of Chilhowee, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ary of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Christian and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Schede and son of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Harbit and family of Green Ridge, Mrs. Frank Harbit of LaMonte and Olinda Mae Scheele of Windsor.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. R. L. Irvine at her home last Thursday evening by 15 members of the DAR.

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Ft. Leavenworth for induction into the army.

Miss Josie Chaney has returned from Waynesville.

Mrs. Wayne Brackway and Mrs. Wesley Betts spend Wednesday and Thursday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Bucholz of St. Louis and children spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bucholz.

A large crowd of members of the Eastern Star and their families held their annual picnic at the park Friday evening. A supper was held in the pavilion. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. S. Payres, prominent members of the OES and Masonic order, who left Sunday for their home in Kansas City.

Mrs. M. A. Hensley was hostess Thursday afternoon to the Wednesday contract bridge club. Mrs. A. T. Bradley received a booklet of defense stamps for highest scorer. The ladies presented by Mrs. Ayres with a handkerchief shower.

Dr. R. L. Allen, who is ill at his home received a shower of birthday cards Sunday.

Word has been received here that Miss Bertha Smith, Warrensburg, a former Windsor resident was taken to Research hospital in Kansas City last Thursday. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Jessie Symphon.

The Junior Cosmos club held their meeting at the park last Friday evening. A covered dish supper was enjoyed and afterward the group went to the home of Mrs. Harry Ordway. Bridge was played and a shower of gifts given to Cornelia Ayres.

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Arbor Day has no common observance date in the United States since the best tree-planting date varies throughout the country.

Personals

Miss Jewell Miller, of Kansas City, spent the holidays at her home, on route 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo M. Sparr and daughter, Miss Grace, left Saturday for Denver, Colo., to visit Mr. Sparr's father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Platt and daughter, Shirley, of St. Joseph, arrived Saturday evening from St. Joseph for a week's visit with Mrs. Betty Creagan, of 401 West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heldberg and son, Jimmie, of Sioux City, Ia., are visiting Mrs. Heldberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anton, and other relatives. Mrs. Heldberg was formerly Miss Minnie Anton.

Arch W. Turner of 633 East Thirteenth street, who has been in Sherman, Tex., engaged in defense work has been made superintendent of construction at Kelly Field at San Antonio. With him there are his wife and their daughters, Kathryn and Noreen.

Kenneth T. Harlan, who is attending the University of Missouri at Columbia, is spending the Fourth of July holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harlan, 909 South Prospect avenue.

Mrs. Maude Boatwright, of St. Louis, the former Miss Maude Leffler, arrived Friday night to visit her aunt, Miss Margaret Edwards, 1502 South Osage avenue.

Promoted



Aldridge J. Weaver of Camp Walters, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Weaver, who has been promoted from a private to a corporal. He graduated from the Smith-Cotton high school in 1934 and for the past four years prior to entering the service, lived in California, where he was studying to be a druggist. He entered the service in March. He is a brother of Mrs. George Carson, 311 East Eleventh street, and Mrs. R. R. Rains, R. F. D. 4, Sedalia.

Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wing, of La Monte, are parents of a daughter, born Saturday, July 4, at the Bothwell hospital.

Injuries In Auto Accident Fatal

Mrs. S. T. O'Neill of Beaman has received a message from her sister, Mrs. J. L. Strickland of San Gabriel, Calif., that their brother Charles Roberts, 64, who was struck by an automobile in Alhambra, Calif., died Thursday at the Veterans hospital in Sautelle, Calif.

After the accident Mr. Roberts had been rushed to an emergency hospital and was transferred to the Veterans hospital when it became known he was a Spanish American war veteran. He was a former Pettis county resident.

He is survived by one son, Archie Roberts of Kansas City, a brother, Ben F. Roberts of Portland, Ore., Mrs. O'Neill of Beaman and Mrs. Strickland of San Gabriel. He also leaves nine nieces and four nephews.

Promotion For Local Insurance Agent

H. E. Jaquish, 711 South Kentucky avenue, local agent for the National Life and Accident Insurance Co., has received news of his promotion to staff superintendent at Memphis Tenn.

Mr. Jaquish, member of Staff One, of which T. E. Harris is superintendent, came here from Moberly to be associated with Mr. Harris in the insurance company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaquish and two children, Robbie Nell and Larry will leave Thursday for Memphis where Mr. Jaquish will enter upon the duties of his new job July 13.

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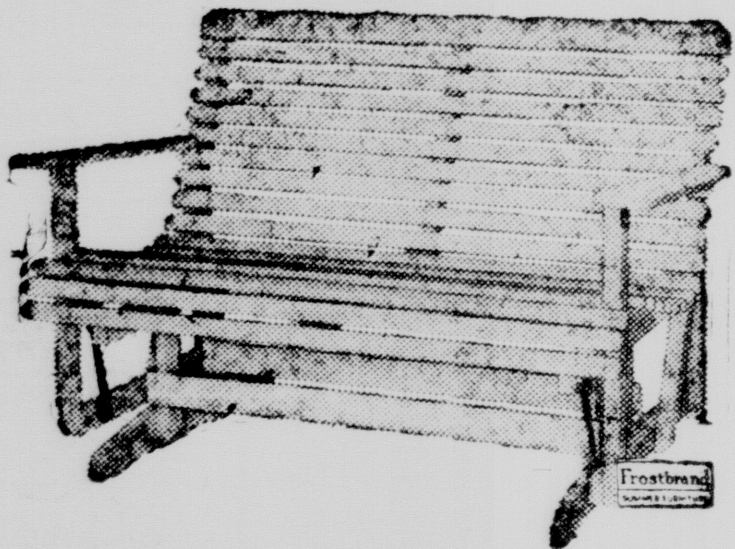
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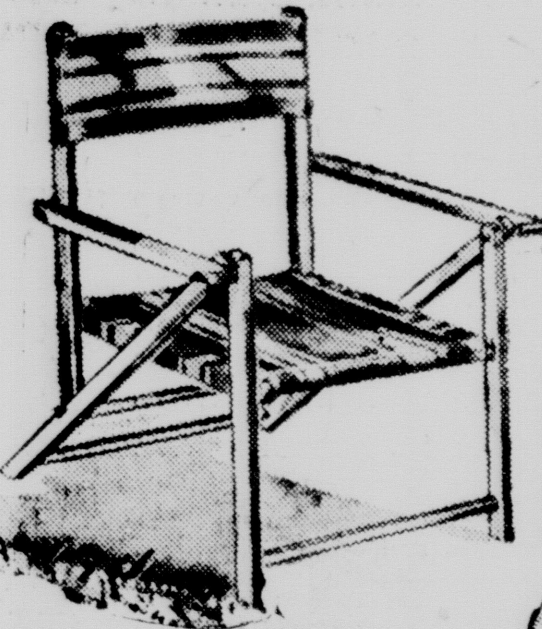
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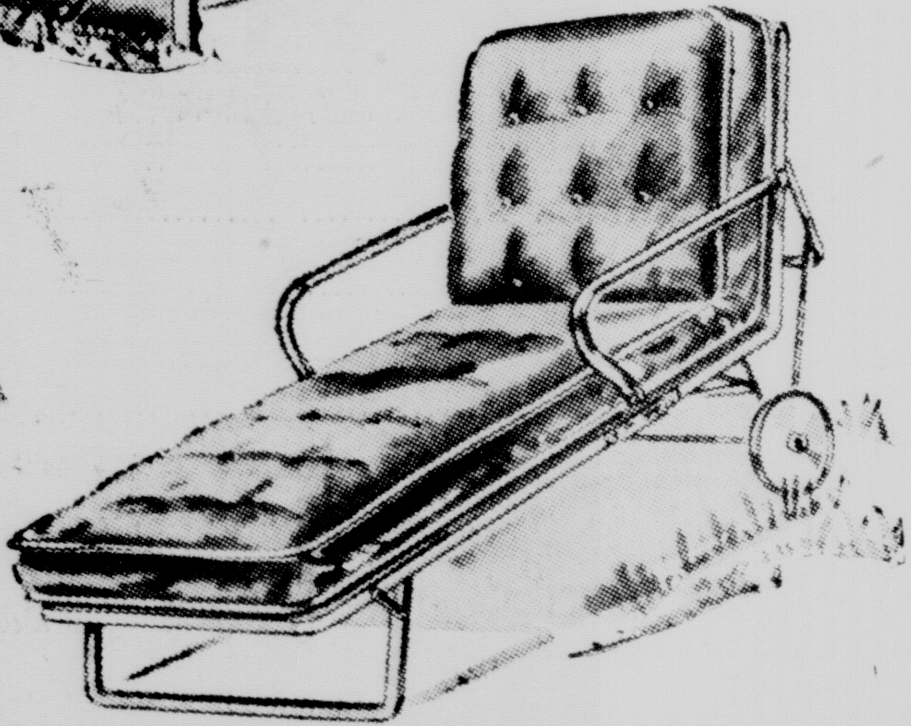


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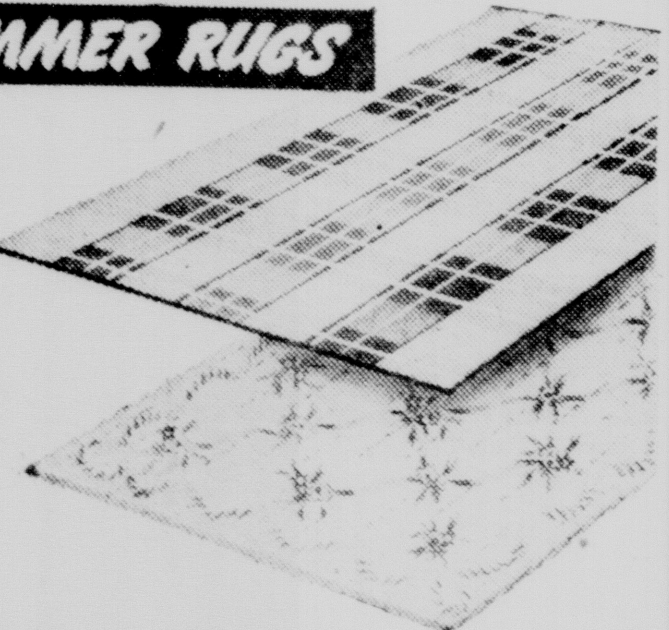
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Neil Anderson, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Knob Noster, was seriously wounded about 5 o'clock Friday afternoon when a .22 calibre rifle he had on a tractor, when he fell against something, discharged the bullet lodging in his head.

At the Bothwell hospital Saturday evening it was said his condition is about the same. The youth had the gun to kill young rabbits.

He was picked up from the ground immediately and was rushed to the Bothwell hospital in a neighbor's automobile. The bullet entered near the youth's nose. He was attended by Dr. M. P. Shy, of Sedalia, and Dr. Groves, of Knob Noster.

Where the bullet had lodged in the boy's head could not be determined immediately, since the doctors deemed it inadvisable to move the youth for examination until his condition improves.

Auxiliary to Legion Is To Meet Monday Night

The American Legion auxiliary will meet on Monday night, July 6, at 8 o'clock at the Liberty cafeteria, Sixth street and Ohio avenue.

Sergeant Schultz Is Seriously Ill

Mrs. H. A. Meyer, of 520 North Quincy avenue, has received word from her daughter, Mrs. Paul Schultz, of St. Augustine, Fla., that her husband, Technical Sergeant Paul Schultz is seriously ill in the hospital at Camp Blanding.

Sergeant Schultz has an abscess on his lung, following a tonsilectomy. He has been given a blood transfusion and is reported a little better.

Mr. Schultz and baby son are staying at the Red Cross building at the hospital, in order to be near her husband.

Sergeant Schultz' address is Technical Sergeant Paul Schultz, Station Hospital Ward B-1, Camp Blanding, Fla.

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A CIRCUS OF VALUES!

JUMBO TOWELS

Wake Up Your Bathroom!

TERRY TOWELS
35¢

Line your racks with heaps of these welcome low priced towels! All of soft fluffy terry—with a firm underweave for wear—and plenty of shaggy loops to make them highly absorbent! Plenty large for the bath... you'll want them in your kitchen, too! Some white-as-snow with sparkling colored borders—others in big block checks and novelty weave! Choose from a glorious array of your favorite bathroom colors!

MATCHING WASH CLOTHS
Have smart looking sets—buy the wash cloths to match above towels! All of delightfully soft, fluffy terry! 10¢

Soft Terry BATH TOWELS
29¢

Get the very most for your money! Thoroughly serviceable, absorbent terry towels! White with colored borders or solid colors with white! Big—15" x 35" size!

Extra Heavy! Extra Large! TERRY TOWELS
45¢

Big, heavy, absorbent towels! Sturdily woven—covered with thick, shaggy loops! White with colored borders! 22" x 44" size.

Matching WASH CLOTHS
3 for 12¢

Wash cloths to go with all your towels.

Luxurious terry face cloths—13" x 17".
3 for 21¢

DISH CLOTHS
3 for 12¢

Leno mesh weave dish cloths—Big 15" x 15".

Sturdy, Unbleached Part Linen Crash!

QUALITY KITCHEN TOWELS
Gay prints on husky 25% linen crash! 23¢

ECONOMY PRICED Kitchen Towels
Bleached white—part linen, 15" x 30".....6 for 33¢

STURDY CRASH TOWELING
Unbleached 16" wide.....5 yds. 49¢

PART LINEN TOWELING
Heavy quality—bleached—17" wide.....5 yds. 75¢

SLEEP IN COMFORT!
Fresh and Cool! Bright Colors!
GOWNS and PAJAMAS

Easy to wash batiste, bright with flowers and colorful prints—choice of necklines in all styles. Sizes 34-40.

- Smartly Cut Gowns!
- Comfortable Pajamas!
- Inexpensively Priced!

1.29

RAYON SLIPS
Creme or satin. Trimmed or tailored styles! 1.29

RAYON PANTIES
Smoothly cut for fit! Tea rose! 33¢

RAYON HOSIERY
Full fashioned! Very sturdy! 79¢

GAY ANKLETS
Durable colors for youngsters! 15¢

RAYON PANTIES
Knitted! Children's sizes. 15¢

SHIRTS, SHORTS
Men's sanforized shorts, ribbed shirts; in boys' sizes too! 29¢ ea.

MEN'S SOCKS
Slack types in striped terry! Smart for summer. For boys, too 25¢ pr.

Children's PAJAMAS
89¢

So cool and so trim! Windproof cotton crepe in button-up boy styles! Plain and print combinations. Sizes 6 to 16.

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